

**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING  
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF TORONTO**

**MONDAY, MARCH 31, 2008**

**S19.1 CALL TO ORDER - 12:30 p.m.**

Speaker Bussin took the Chair and called the Members to order.

**S19.2 NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING**

Speaker Bussin advised the Council that this special meeting is called for the following purposes:

1. to consider a report (March 28, 2008) from the General Manager, Transportation Services, headed “Amending City Traffic By-laws in the Event of a Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) Disruption”;
2. to introduce and enact General Bills; and
3. to introduce and enact a confirming by-law for this special meeting.

**S19.3 INTRODUCTION OF ITEM BY THE MAYOR**

Mayor Miller presented Item CC19.1 from the General Manager, Transportation Services, headed “Amending City Traffic By-laws in the Event of a Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) Disruption”, for consideration.

*Vote:*

The introduction of Item CC19.1 carried.

**S19.4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

**S19.5 PETITIONS**

There were no petitions.

**S19.6 REVIEW OF THE ORDER PAPER**

Speaker Bussin in the Chair.

*Procedural Motion to Confirm the March 31, 2008 Meeting 19 Order Paper:*

Speaker Bussin proposed that Council confirm the Order Paper.

*Vote:*

Council adopted the Order Paper.

**S19.7 CONSIDERATION OF ITEM**

**March 31, 2008**

Speaker Bussin in the Chair.

Under Section 27-70 of Council's Procedures, Items are considered adopted without amendment by consent, unless Council decides otherwise.

Held for consideration. CC19.1 (March 28, 2008) from the General Manager,  
Minute S19.8 Transportation Services, headed "Amending City Traffic  
By-laws in the Event of a Toronto Transit Commission  
(TTC) Disruption"

**S19.8 Amending City Traffic By-laws in the Event of a Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) Disruption**

<b>CC19.1</b>	AMENDED			Ward: All
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**March 31, 2008**

Speaker Bussin in the Chair.

*Motions:*

1. Mayor Miller moved that Item CC19.1 be amended by:
  - a. deleting the following Part a from Recommendation 2 and re-numbering the remaining Parts accordingly:  
  
“a. Bay Street;”;
  - b. deleting from Recommendation 3 the words “Schedule VII (No Parking)” and replacing them with the words “Schedule VIII (No Parking)”;
  - c. inserting the following new Recommendations 4 and 5 and re-numbering the current Recommendation 4 accordingly:  
  
“4. the curb lanes on both sides of the following sections of roadway be designated for bicycles only:
    - a. Bay Street, between Queens Quay West and Yorkville Avenue;
    - b. Queens Quay West, between Lower Spadina Avenue and Yonge Street; and
    - c. Dundas Street East, between River Street and Broadview Avenue;
  5. stopping be prohibited on the sections of roadway designated as bicycle only lanes under Recommendation 4, above;”.

2. Councillor Moscoe moved that Item CC19.1 be amended by adding the following:

That Chapter 903, Parking for Persons with Disabilities, of the Municipal Code, and other relevant by-laws be amended during the term of any work stoppage at or by the Toronto Transit Commission from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, starting at 12:01 a.m. of the day TTC services are discontinued as a result of a labour disruption, to the earlier of 12:01 a.m. of the first day following resumption of normal transit service or June 25, 2008, so that there is no

exemption from the “No Parking” provisions for persons displaying disabled parking permits, on the roads set out in Recommendation 1 and the emergency signage be revised to advise of this provision.

3. Councillor Ootes moved that Item CC19.1 be amended by adding the following:

That, in the event of a TTC labour disruption, the “no stopping” rule for motorists be waived for those motorists stopping at transit stops to pick up or discharge passengers.

*Votes:*

Adoption of Item CC19.1, as amended by motions 1, 2 and 3 by Mayor Miller, Councillor Moscoe and Councillor Ootes, respectively:

Yes - 41	
Mayor:	Miller
Councillors:	Ainslie, Ashton, Augimeri, Bussin, Carroll, Cho, Davis, De Baeremaeker, Del Grande, Di Giorgio, Feldman, Fillion, Fletcher, Ford, Giambrone, Grimes, Hall, Heaps, Holyday, Jenkins, Lee, Lindsay Luby, Mammoliti, McConnell, Mihevc, Milczyn, Minnan-Wong, Moeser, Moscoe, Nunziata, Ootes, Palacio, Pantalone, Parker, Perks, Saundercook, Shiner, Stintz, Thompson, Vaughan
No - 1	
Councillor:	Kelly

Carried by a majority of 40.

### **City Council Decision**

City Council adopted the following motions:

From 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, starting at 12:01 a.m. of the day TTC services are discontinued as a result of a labour disruption, to the earlier of 12:01 a.m. of the first day following resumption of normal transit service or June 25, 2008:

1. parking be prohibited on the following roads:
  - a. Avenue Road/University Avenue between Lawrence Avenue and Front Street;
  - b. Bloor Street/Danforth Avenue between Jane Street and Victoria Park Avenue;
  - c. Yonge Street between Front Street and Steeles Avenue;
  - d. Eglinton Avenue between Allen Road and Brentcliffe Road;
  - e. Bayview Avenue between Eglinton Avenue and Lawrence Avenue;

- f. Finch Avenue between Highway 400 and Jane Street;
    - g. McCowan Road between Eglinton Avenue and Ellesmere Road;
    - h. Lawrence Avenue between Markham Road and Brimley Road; and
    - i. The Queensway between Roncesvalles Avenue to Parkside Drive;
  - 2. car pooling vehicles with three or more passengers be allowed to travel on lanes normally reserved for transit vehicles only, on the following roads:
    - a. Eglinton Avenue;
    - b. Fleet Street;
    - c. King Street; and
    - d. Pape Avenue;
  - 3. the above-listed parking prohibitions shall prevail, where they conflict with any pre-existing prohibitions in Schedule VIII (No Parking) of the Uniform Traffic By-law;
  - 4. the curb lanes on both sides of the following sections of roadway be designated for bicycles only:
    - a. Bay Street, between Queens Quay West and Yorkville Avenue;
    - b. Queens Quay West, between Lower Spadina Avenue and Yonge Street;  
and
    - c. Dundas Street East, between River Street and Broadview Avenue;
  - 5. stopping be prohibited on the sections of roadway designated as bicycle only lanes under Part 4, above;
  - 6. Chapter 903, Parking for Persons with Disabilities, of the Municipal Code, and other relevant by-laws be amended during the term of any work stoppage at or by the TTC from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, starting at 12:01 a.m. of the day TTC services are discontinued as a result of a labour disruption, to the earlier of 12:01 a.m. of the first day following resumption of normal transit service or June 25, 2008, so that there is no exemption from the “No Parking” provisions for persons displaying disabled parking permits, on the roads set out in Part 1, above, and the emergency signage be revised to advise of this provision;
  - 7. in the event of a TTC labour disruption, the “no stopping” rule for motorists be waived for those motorists stopping at transit stops to pick up or discharge passengers; and
  - 8. the appropriate City officials be directed to take the necessary actions to give effect thereto.
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## Link to Background Information

Council considered the following:

- [Report \(March 28, 2008\) from the General Manager, Transportation Services \(CC19.1\)](#)

## BILL AND BY-LAW

**March 31, 2008**

Speaker Bussin in the Chair.

S19.9 Councillor Ainslie, at 12:56 p.m., moved that leave be granted to introduce the following Bill, and that this Bill, prepared for this meeting of Council, be passed and hereby declared as a By-law:

Bill No. 259

By-law No. 254-2008

To confirm the proceedings of the Council at its Special meeting (Meeting 19) held on the 31st day of March, 2008,

the vote on which was taken as follows:

Yes - 40	
Mayor:	Miller
Councillors:	Ainslie, Ashton, Augimeri, Bussin, Carroll, Cho, Davis, De Baeremaeker, Del Grande, Di Giorgio, Feldman, Fillion, Fletcher, Ford, Giambrone, Grimes, Heaps, Holyday, Jenkins, Kelly, Lee, Lindsay Luby, Mammoliti, McConnell, Mihevc, Milczyn, Minnan-Wong, Moeser, Moscoe, Nunziata, Ootes, Palacio, Pantalone, Parker, Perks, Saundercook, Shiner, Stintz, Thompson
No - 0	

Carried unanimously.

## S19.10 ATTENDANCE

Councillor Lindsay Luby moved that the absence of Councillors Perruzza, Rae and Walker from this special meeting of City Council be excused, which carried.

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March 31, 2008	12:30 p.m. to 12:56 p.m.*
Miller	x
Ainslie	x
Ashton	x
Augimeri	x
Bussin	x
Carroll	x
Cho	x
Davis	x
De Baeremaeker	x
Del Grande	x
Di Giorgio	x
Feldman	x
Filion	x
Fletcher	x
Ford	x
Giambrone	x
Grimes	x
Hall	x
Heaps	x
Holyday	x
Jenkins	x
Kelly	x
Lee	x
Lindsay Luby	x
Mammoliti	x
McConnell	x
Mihevc	x
Milczyn	x
Minnan-Wong	x
Moeser	x
Moscoe	x

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March 31, 2008	12:30 p.m. to 12:56 p.m.*
Nunziata	x
Ootes	x
Palacio	x
Pantalone	x
Parker	x
Perks	x
Perruzza	-
Rae	-
Saundercook	x
Shiner	x
Stintz	x
Thompson	x
Vaughan	x
Walker	-
Total	42

\* Members were present for some or all of the time period indicated.

**The Special meeting of Council adjourned on March 31, 2008, at 12:57 p.m.**

**DAVID R. MILLER,**  
Mayor

**ULLI S. WATKISS,**  
City Clerk