

MOTION

Etobicoke York Community Council, Meeting of May 14, 2009

Approval of Temporary Signage Permit for Village of Islington Paint the Street Community Event



SUMMARY:

The Village of Islington BIA has held its annual "**Paint the Street**!" festival in Ward 5 for the past three years. This event raises funds for the Islington Mosaic Heritage Murals project; a partnership of Islington BIA and the Heritage Etobicoke Foundation.

This event has proven to be a success and each year generates no complaints to the offices of the Councillors of Etobicoke –Lakeshore.

The Municipal Code Chapter 693, Section 693-25, which outlines the requirements for signs being used to advertise charitable, non profit and community events, does not permit any variance or appeal to the criteria which regulate temporary signage.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That Etobicoke York Community Council approve a special permit to the Village of Islington BIA for their 2009 Paint the Street event, and allow the placement of temporary promotional signage, providing that they are removed all signage within 12 hours of the event's closure; and that the Village of Islington BIA submit a list of specific signage locations and details of sign size/type, and it be reviewed in advance with Staff, to ensure that any sightline issues and concerns of Staff are resolved.

Date: May 14, 2009