TORONTO Member Motion

City Council

Notice of Motion

MM55.74	ACTION			Ward:5

Enacting a "No Right Turn on Red" Prohibition Westbound on Bloor Street West at The Kingsway - by Councillor Mark Grimes, seconded by Councillor James Maloney

**** Notice of this Motion has been given.***
**** This Motion is subject to a re-opening of Item EY31.22. A two-thirds vote is required to re-open that Item. If re-opened, the previous Council decision remains in force unless Council decides otherwise.***

Recommendations

Councillor Mark Grimes, seconded by Councillor James Maloney, recommends that:

1. City Council enact a westbound "No Right Turn on Red" prohibition at Bloor Street West and The Kingsway.

2. City Council authorize the City Solicitor to prepare the necessary Bills to give effect to Part 1 above.

Summary

As part of the intersection redesign, a request has been received from area residents to prohibit "right turns on red" from westbound on Bloor Street West onto The Kingsway. Their concern is for safety as this resident (number 1 The Kingsway) is exiting their driveway onto The Kingsway immediately north of the signalized intersection.

Currently, right turns are not allowed on a red signal based on the intersection design. However, with the approved intersection reconfiguration, these turns would become possible. This regulation is to maintain the existing condition of right turns not being allowed on a red signal and to provide improved egress from the residential driveways north of the intersection.

Requires Re-opening:

Etobicoke York Community Council Item EY31.22 - adopted by City Council March 20, 2014, only as it pertains to traffic regulations.

(Submitted to City Council on August 25 and 26, 2014 as MM55.74)

Background Information (City Council)

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