TORONTO Member Motion

City Council

Notice of Motion

MM38.5	ACTION			Ward:36

7th Annual Children's Community Triathlon - Waiving of Road Closure Permit Fee - by Councillor Gary Crawford, seconded by Councillor Chin Lee

**** Notice of this Motion has been given.***
**** This Motion is subject to referral to the Executive Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.***

Recommendations

Councillor Gary Crawford, seconded by Councillor Chin Lee, recommends that:

1. City Council direct the General Manager, Transportation Services to waive the permit fee charged for the Children's Triathlon 2018 event (fee Ref. No. 61.07, Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges, Appendix C – Schedule 2, Transportation Services).

Summary

City Council approved the 2017 Operating Budget for Transportation Services which included Street Event user fee increases. The user fee charged for an Athletic Event for permission to fully or partially close/occupy an expressway, major arterial, minor arterial and collector roads for the purpose of holding an Athletic Event.

This local children's triathlon event has been hosted in our Ward 36 community for seven years. One portion of the triathlon event includes a bicycle/ tricycle leg which requires a small section of Kingston Road to be closed. This event featured at our local community centre is hosted and managed by volunteers who dedicate their time to promote health and wellness. They will continue to pay their application fee but as this is a grass roots initiative we are asking that the new additional event fee be waived.

Background Information (City Council)

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