TORONTO Member Motion

City Council

Notice of Motion

MM39.7	ACTION			Ward:22

Proposed Traffic Calming - Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway) - Waiving Poll Requirement - by Councillor Josh Matlow, seconded by Councillor Kristyn Wong-Tam

**** Notice of this Motion has been given.***
**** This Motion is subject to referral to the Toronto and East York Community Council. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.***

Recommendations

Councillor Josh Matlow, seconded by Councillor Kristyn Wong-Tam, recommends that:

1. City Council waive the requirement under the City of Toronto Traffic Calming Policy that the City Clerk poll eligible households on Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway), between Balliol Street and Davisville Avenue, to determine whether residents support the installation of speed humps until such time as Toronto and East York Community Council has considered a request to install traffic calming on Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway) between Balliol Street and Davisville Avenue.

Summary

The Principal of Greenwood College School approached our office regarding concerns with speeding and aggressive driving on Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway), between Balliol Street and Davisville Avenue, and indicated that the school would like traffic calming measures installed. Greenwood College School is the only property abutting this section of Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway).

In order for traffic calming measures to be installed, the City of Toronto Traffic Calming Policy, as adopted by City Council, requires that a poll be conducted along the subject street, a minimum of 50 percent plus one of the affected households (with frontage or flankage) respond to that poll and at least 60 percent of the responding households vote in favour of the proposal.

Toronto and East York Community Council considered Item TE22.99 on this subject on February 22, 2017, but City Council must waive the requirement for polling under the City Council-adopted Traffic Calming Policy. In order to expedite the installation of traffic calming on Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway), this Motion proposes that City Council waive the polling requirement for the installation of traffic calming on this portion of Mount Pleasant Road (east roadway) until such time as Toronto and East York Community Council has considered a request to install traffic calming at this location.

Background Information (City Council)

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