

**City Council****Motion Without Notice**

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**Morningside Avenue Bridge Request for Both Temporary and Permanent Traffic Control Signals - by Councillor Paul Ainslie, seconded by Councillor Jim Hart**

*\* This Motion has been deemed urgent by the Chair.  
\* This Motion is not subject to a vote to waive referral. This Motion has been added to the agenda and is before Council for debate.*

**Recommendations**

Councillor Paul Ainslie, seconded by Councillor Jim Hart, recommends that:

1. City Council authorize the Executive Director, Engineering and Construction Services, in consultation with the General Manager, Transportation Services, to discuss the installation of temporary traffic control signals with the contractor, for the contractor under the Ontario Traffic Manual to determine if the temporary traffic control signals are required on Morningside Avenue at the Morningside Park entrance to allow for a safe pedestrians crossing during the current bridge reconstruction work.
2. City Council authorize the installation of permanent traffic control signals on Morningside Avenue at the Morningside Park entrance once the bridge reconstruction work is complete.
3. City Council request that the lines on the street be repainted so that they are more visible to motorists at all times.

**Summary**

Please accept this Motion as my request for your support in seeking the installation of temporary traffic control signals on Morningside Avenue at the Morningside Park entrance during the current reconstruction construction work period as well as the installation of permanent traffic control signals when the reconstruction work is complete along with a reduction of speed.

The matter is urgent as a resident was recently struck on Morningside Avenue due to the lack of a safe passage to the entrance of our city park, Morningside Park.

Although new safety measures have since been implement the installation of a traffic control signal requires discussion to provide for a safe pedestrians crossing. As the summer months approach Morningside Park is a highly utilized creating a safe pedestrian passing is highly

required for the week days and week-ends.

**Background Information (City Council)**

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<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2018/mm/bgrd/backgroundfile-115483.pdf>