

# THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF MISSISSAUGA

### MISSISSAUGA CYCLING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2012 - 7:29 PM**

### **COMMITTEE ROOM A**

2<sup>ND</sup> Floor, Civic Centre 300 City Centre Drive, Mississauga, ON L5B 3C1 Internet Address - http://www.mississauga.ca

Members Present:

Jeff Wachman (Chair)

Don Stephens (Vice-Chair)

Allan Harder Darrin Wolter Donnie Morris Dorothy Tomiuk Krista Lethbridge

Syed Ali David Bell

Rajendra Singh

Members Absent:

Councillor C. Fonseca

City/Regional Staff Present:

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager, Cycling Office Andy Bate, Supervisor, Traffic Operations Jacqueline Hunter, Cycling Technologist Stephanie Smith, Legislative Coordinator, Office of the City Clerk CALL TO ORDER - 7:29 p.m.

## DECLARATIONS OF DIRECT (OR INDIRECT) PECUNIARY INTEREST - Nil

### PRESENTATIONS/DEPUTATIONS - Nil

### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

### 1. <u>Administrative Matters:</u>

- 1.1 Items to be added under "Other Business"
  - Darrin Morris, Citizen Member to update the committee on Tour de Grand.
- 1.2 Minutes of Previous Meeting January 10, 2012

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager Cycling Office noted that the statement under Podcast "Cycling Podcast" should be managed by the Network and Technical Subcommittee.

Approved (D.Morris)

### 2. <u>Network and Technical Subcommittee</u>

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member gave a verbal update on three projects that the Network and Technical Subcommittee are currently working on. He noted that the projects would include Ward Rides, Ambassador Project, 2012 Construction and that Don Stephens and Darrin Wolter would be helping out.

### 3. <u>Communication and Promotion Subcommittee</u>

Krista Lethbridge, Citizen Member gave a verbal update regarding the Communication and Promotion Subcommittee that was held on January 25, 2012.

Ms. Lethbridge discussed the 2012 events that the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee (MCAC) would be participating in. They included new events such as; Carrasauga, Mississauga Waterfront Festival and the Dixie-Bloor Festival.

Ms. Lethbridge indicated that MCAC would not be involved in the Bread and Honey Festival.

There was discussion about promoting MCAC events on Haze AM radio station,

Mississauga News and SNAP. Jacqueline Hunter noted that on SNAP's website you can request their presence at an event.

Jeff Wachman, Chair noted that the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee (MCAC) Bike Licensing letter be reviewed for endorsement at the next meeting date.

# 4. <u>Bike to Work Day – May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012</u>

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager Cycling Office gave a verbal update on Bike to Work Day taking place on May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

Discussion ensued with respect that there needs to be additional support and involvement from High Schools other than the 9 already identified. Donnie Morris advised that The Network and Technical Subcommittee will look at getting additional involvement and provide feedback to the MCAC at our next meeting.

### 5. <u>Cycling Network Program</u>

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager Cycling Office provided an update on the status of bike routes in Mississauga. She advised that the Network and Technical Subcommittee and will provide a quarterly update to the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee (MCAC) starting from January 2012 on the cycling network.

### 6. <u>City of Toronto Tails Plan</u>

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager Cycling Office advised that the City of Toronto has issued new trail plans that will be received on March 21, 2012. The Committee expressed that a letter should be sent to the City of Toronto in support of the proposed new trail connections on Eglinton Avenue, Etobicoke Creek Trail and the Morning Star area.

#### MCAC-0013-2012

That staff prepare a letter from the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee and the Cycling Office to forward to the City of Toronto in support of the proposed new trail connections on Eglinton Avenue, Etobicoke Creek Trail and the Morning Star area. (MCAC-0013-2012)

# 7. Peel Region Active Transportation Plan Approved by Regional Council February 9, 2012

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager Cycling Office gave a verbal update regarding the conceptual plans for the Peel Region Active Transportation Plan being approved. She noted that the stakeholders were asked to come back on yearly basis to provide an update.

## 8. <u>Upcoming Public Meetings Involving Cycling Infrastructure Projects</u>

Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager Cycling Office gave a verbal update on upcoming public meetings involving cycling infrastructure projects.

Ms. Hayward Gulati confirmed that public meetings will be held on the following dates.

- Lakeview Waterfront Connection Environmental Assessment Project (LWC EA) will be held on February 23, 2012.
- QEW Credit River Study, Community Workshop February 25, 2012
- Tenth Line Bike Lanes March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2012
- Creditview Road Bridge across the Credit River Date not set but last week in February.

Notices of the meetings will be circulated to the Committee once available.

Donnie Morris was nominated to be the representative on the LWCEA Committee. Syed Ali was nominated to be an alternative member. Both received.

### MCAC-0014-2012

That Donnie Morris be a representative for the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee on the Community Liaison Committee for the Lakeview Waterfront Connection Environmental Assessment and that Syed Ali be an alternate representative. (MCAC-0014-2012)

# 9. <u>Bikeway Map Update</u>

Jacqueline Hunter, Cycling Technologist provided a verbal update of the progress of updating the City's Bikeway Map.

Members of the Committee noted that they would like to see the map have planned routes with route times and distance traveled from point A to point B, have City owned bike parking locations indicated on the map, more street names indicated and having main roads lighted in yellow is very misleading and should be kept as a white line.

### 10. Toronto International Bicycle Show – March 2, 3 & 4, 2012

The Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee discussed their involvement in this year's Toronto International Bicycle Show.

Discussion ensued with respect to the items needed for the show which include: trail maps, MCAC postcards, MCAC banners and popup display. A sign-up sheet was distributed for Committee Members to sign up and participate on the event dates.

### 11. QEW Credit River Bridge Class Environmental Study

Darrin Wolter, Citizen Member volunteered to represent the Committee at the community workshop on February 25, 2012.

### 12. Information Items

- 12.1 <u>Do More on the Shore: Waterfront Trail Ezine January 2012</u>
  Contains information about the Trail including project updates, featured attractions and routes, upcoming events and trail closure notices
- 12.2 <u>Toronto Centre for Active Transportation (TCAT) News January 10, 2012</u> Recent TCAT activities and news items
- 12.3 <u>Toronto Centre for Active Transportation (TCAT) News January 24, 2012</u> Recent TCAT activities and news items
- 12.4 Review of Cycling Deaths for the Province of Ontario

  Letter dated February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2012 to the Office of the Chief Coroner's office regarding the Provincial Cycling Death Review that is currently underway signed by Jeff Wachman, Chair, MCAC and Jacquelyn Hayward Gulati, Manager, Cycling Office

### Received (A.Syed)

#### 13. 2012 Calendar of Events

The Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee (MCAC) reviewed the 2012 calendar of events and updated items with additional events for the Committee to attend.

### 14. <u>2012 Action List</u>

The Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee (MCAC) reviewed that 2012 Action List and amended items that were dealt with.

### OTHER BUSINESS

### 15. Tour de Grand

Darrin Walter, Citizen Member gave a verbal update on Cambridge's Tour de Grand annual bike ride. He spoke about the operational side of their event, changing entry fees and promotional giveaways. You can view their website at <a href="https://www.cambridgetourdegrand.com">www.cambridgetourdegrand.com</a>.

# ADJOURNMENT – 9:06 p.m.