



MINUTES

TRAFFIC SAFETY COUNCIL

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF MISSISSAUGA
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 2012 – 5:00 P.M

COMMITTEE ROOM 'A', SECOND FLOOR
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Members

Councillor Frank Dale, Ward 4
Councillor Sue McFadden, Ward 10
Deborah Goss (Citizen Member Ward 1)
Peter Westbrook (Citizen Member Ward 2)
Boris Swedak (Citizen Member Ward 3)
Edgar Lethbridge (Citizen Member Ward 4)
Louise Goegan (Citizen Member Ward 5)
David Brown (Citizen Member Ward 6) **(CHAIR)**
Heather Relf (Citizen Member Ward 9)
David Raakman (Citizen Member Ward 10) **(VICE-CHAIR)**

City-Wide Members

Shakil Akhter (Citizen Member Ward 10 North Zone)

Members Absent

Meredith Johnson (Trustee Ward 9 & 10 - Peel District School Board)
Anna Abbruscato (Trustee Ward 4 -Dufferin-Peel Catholic School Board)
Daniel Suess (Citizen Member Ward 7)
Doug Fryers (Citizen Member Ward 8)
Bill McBain (Citizen Member Ward 11)
John Dunn (Citizen Member Ward 8 South Zone)
Yasmeen Ashraf Irshaduddin (Citizen Member Ward 10 North Zone)

Advisory Board

Al Sousa, Manager, Traffic Engineering and Operations
Andy Bate, Supervisor, Traffic Operations
Denna Yaunan, Traffic Operations Technician
Sheelagh Duffin, Supervisor, Crossing Guards
Marcy Macina, Student Transportation

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Date of Next Meeting – September 26, 2012

OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

CALL TO ORDER

David Brown, Chair, called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

DECLARATIONS OF DIRECT (OR INDIRECT) PECUNIARY INTEREST

David Raakman, Vice- Chair declared a conflict of interest with respect to any Agenda items or discussion specific to Ward 10 due to his temporary position in the Ward 10 office and in accordance with Council Resolution Number 0022-2012. He did not participate in any discussion or voting when Ward 10 matters were considered by Traffic Safety Council.

PRESENTATIONS / DEPUTATIONS

Louise Goegan, Traffic Safety Council Citizen Member, Peter Westbrook, Traffic Safety Council Citizen Member and Sheelagh Duffin, Crossing Guard Supervisor made a deputation with respect to the School Walking Routes Program. The delegation outlined the program, the benefits of the program, how and when the program was implemented, the success of the program to date and future goals.

RECEIVED – (P. Westbrook)
Recommendation - TSC-0105-2012

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED1. Approval of Minutes of previous meeting

Minutes of the Traffic Safety Council meeting held on May 23, 2012.

Deborah Goss, Citizen Member noted that on page four (4) of the Draft Traffic Safety Council meeting minutes for May 23, 2012, the incorrect ward had been listed for Janet I. McDougald Public School. David Raakman, Vice- Chair noted that on page five (5) of the document, the incorrect ward had been listed for Plum Tree Park Public School. It was requested that the Legislative Coordinator make the appropriate changes to the minutes.

APPROVED – (B. Swedak)

2. Site Inspection Report – Thorn Lodge Public School, Ward 2

Site Inspection Report for the inspection conducted on May 31, 2012 to review pedestrian safety in front of Thorn Lodge Public School, 2730 Thorn Lodge Drive.

RECOMMENDATION

That Student Transportation of Peel Region (STOPR) be requested to consider delaying the afternoon arrival time of Atridge bus number 538A and Atridge bus number 531A at Thorn Lodge Public School, 2730 Thorn Lodge Drive, until 3:40 p.m. after the first three large busses which pick students up at the school have departed so that Atridge busses 538A and 531A can load students on the school's driveway.

APPROVED – (P. Westbrook)
Recommendation - TSC-0106-2012

3. Site Inspection Report –San Lorenzo of Ruiz Catholic School and Barondale Public School, Ward 5

Site Inspection Report for the inspection conducted on June 7, 2012 to review the warrants for placing a Crossing Guard at the intersection of Barondale Drive and Wildwood Trail for students attending San Lorenzo of Ruiz Catholic School 100 Barondale Drive and Barondale Public School, 200 Barondale Drive.

RECOMMENDATION

That the request for a Crossing Guard at the intersection of Barondale Drive and Wildwood Trail for students attending San Lorenzo of Ruiz Catholic School, 100 Barondale Drive and Barondale Public School, 200 Barondale Drive be denied as the warrants have not been met and an All Way Stop provides protection for crossing students.

APPROVAL – (Councillor S. McFadden)
Recommendation - TSC-0107-2012

4. Site Inspection Report – Settler's Green Public School, Ward 9

Site Inspection Report for the inspection conducted on June 12, 2012 to review the warrants for placing a Crossing Guard at the intersection of Montevideo Road and Lorca Crescent for students attending Settler's Green Public School, 5800 Montevideo Road.

RECOMMENDATION

1. That the request for a Crossing Guard at the intersection of Montevideo Road and Lorca Crescent for students attending Settler's Green Public School, 5800 Montevideo Road, be denied as the warrants have not been met.
2. That the Site Inspection Subcommittee of Traffic Safety Council be requested to re-inspect the intersection of Montevideo Road and Lorca Crescent for students attending Settler's Green Public School in September of 2012.
3. That Peel Regional Police be requested to enforce traffic infractions along Montevideo Road in front of Settler's Green Public School between 8:20 a.m. – 8:40 a.m. and 3:20 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.
4. That the Transportation and Works Department be requested to replace the faded signage along Montevideo Road in the vicinity of Settler's Green Public School.

APPROVAL – (D. Raakman)

Recommendation - TSC-0108-2012

5. Site Inspection Request – Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, Ward 3

Email dated June 8, 2012 from Councillor Chris Fonseca with respect to traffic concerns at the intersection of Runningbrook Drive and Riverspray Crescent.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Site Inspection Subcommittee of Traffic Safety Council be requested to review the warrants for placing a Crossing Guard at the intersection of Runningbrook Drive and Riverspray Crescent for students attending Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Catholic School, 1120 Runningbrook Drive in the fall of 2012.

APPROVED – (Councillor F. Dale)

Recommendation - TSC-0109-2012

6. Site Inspection Request – St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School, Ward 11

Email dated May 23, 2012 from Patricia Muir, 191st Mississauga Pathfinders and Girl Guides of Canada with respect to traffic concerns in front of St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School, 294 Church Street.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Site Inspection Subcommittee of Traffic Safety Council be requested to conduct a site inspection at St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School, 294 Church Street in the fall of 2012.

APPROVED – (H. Relf)

Recommendation - TSC-0110-2012

7. Dismissal Report – June 2012

RECOMMENDATION

That the Dismissal Report for the month of June 2012 be received.

RECEIVED – (B. Swedak)

The following recommendation emanated from the Dismissal Report for the month of June 2012:

June 6, 2012

Whitehorn Public School, Ward 6

Recommendation

That Parking Enforcement be requested to enforce parking infractions in the vicinity of Whitehorn Public School, 5785 Whitehorn Avenue, between 3:05 p.m. and 3:25 p.m.

APPROVED – (B. Swedak)

Recommendation - TSC-0113-2012

8. Email dated June 11, 2012 from Anna Gentile, Student Transportation of Peel Region (STOPR)

Discussion ensued with respect to the impact of full day kindergarten on traffic congestion in school zones.

RECOMMENDATION

That the email dated June 11, 2012 from Anna Gentile, Student Transportation of Peel Region (STOPR) with respect to the number of full day kindergarten students that will be bussed to school and the number of full day kindergarten students that will potentially be driven to school beginning in September 2012 be received.

RECEIVED – (Councillor S. McFadden)

Recommendation - TSC-0114-2012

9. Peel Board Maintenance Meeting Minutes – May 15, 2012RECOMMENDATION

That the Peel Board Maintenance Meeting Minutes from the meeting held on May 15, 2012 be received.

RECEIVED – (P. Westbrook)

Recommendation - TSC-0115-2012

10. Site Inspection Reports – Meadowvale Secondary School and Edenwood Public School, Ward 9

Site Inspection Reports for the inspections conducted on June 14, 2012 to review pedestrian safety in front of Edenwood Middle School and Meadowvale Secondary School and to review pedestrian safety at the intersection of Winston Churchill Boulevard and Battleford Road for students attending Edenwood Middle School, 6770 Edenwood Drive and Meadowvale Secondary School, 6700 Edenwood Drive.

RECOMMENDATION

1. That the Transportation and Works Department be requested to review the signage on the East side of Edenwood Drive in front of Edenwood Middle School, 6770 Edenwood Drive and Meadowvale Secondary School, 6700 Edenwood Drive.
2. That once the Transportation and Works Department has installed the appropriate signage, Parking Enforcement be requested to enforce parking infractions along Edenwood Drive in front of Edenwood Middle School and Meadowvale Secondary School between 8:15 a.m. and 8:45 a.m. and 2:40 p.m. and 3:05 p.m.
3. That the Peel District School Board be requested to do the following at Meadowvale Secondary School:
 - a. Re-paint the School Zone Safety (Kiss and Ride) lanes.
 - b. Include the word "parking" on the Staff Parking Only directional sign and on the Student Only Parking directional sign located on the side of the school building at the entrance of the School Zone Safety (Kiss and Ride).
4. That the Principal of Meadowvale Secondary School be requested to encourage motorists to utilize the School Zone Safety (Kiss and Ride) lanes when dropping off and picking up students.

5. That the site inspection report dated June 14, 2012 with respect to the site inspection conducted at Battleford Road and Winston Churchill Boulevard for students attending Edenwood Public School, 2670 Edenwood Drive and Meadowvale Secondary School, 2700 Edenwood Drive, be received.

APPROVED – (E. Lethbridge)
Recommendation - TSC-116-2012

11. Site Inspection Report – St. Simon Stock Catholic School, Ward 10

Site Inspection Report for the inspection conducted on June 18, 2012 to review pedestrian safety in the vicinity of Alderwood Trail and Lisgar Drive, and in front of St. Simon Stock Catholic School, 6440 Lisgar Drive.

Having declared a conflict of interest with respect to any matter concerning Ward 10, David Raakman, Vice- Chair did not participate in any discussion or voting with respect to this matter.

Councillor Sue McFadden, Ward 10, outlined the background of the matter noting that the issues associated with St. Simon Stock Catholic School were ongoing. Discussion ensued with respect to solutions intended to mitigate the issues associated with the school.

RECOMMENDATION

1. That the Transportation and Works Department be requested to do the following at St. Simon Stock Catholic School, 6440 Lisgar Drive:
 - a. Replace the faded No Stopping Signs along Lisgar Drive in front of the school.
 - b. Replace the missing No Stopping and No U Turn signs along Lisgar Drive in front of the school and inform Parking Enforcement when the signs have been replaced.
 - c. Trim the overhanging branches which are obstructing the School Crossing Signs at Lisgar Drive and Alderwood Trail.
2. That once the signs are replaced, Parking Enforcement be requested to enforce parking infractions along Lisgar Drive in front of St. Simon Stock Catholic School and at the intersection of Lisgar Drive and Alderwood Trail between 8:25 a.m. and 8:45 a.m. and between 3:10 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

APPROVED – (H. Relf)
Recommendation - TSC-0117-2012

12. Site Inspection Request – Springfield Public School, Ward 6

Email dated June 20, 2012, from Suanne Cyr, Resident, with respect to traffic concerns at the intersection of Dundas Street West and The Credit Woodlands.

RECOMMENADTION

1. That the email dated June 20, 2012 from Susanne Cyr, Resident, with respect to traffic concerns at the intersection of The Credit Woodlands and Dundas Street West be received.
2. That the Site Inspection Subcommittee of Traffic Safety Council be requested to conduct a site inspection in the fall of 2012, to review motorist behaviour at the intersection of The Credit Woodlands and Dundas Street West, for students attending Springfield Public School, 3257 The Credit Woodlands, in response to the email dated June 20, 2012 from Susanne Cyr, Resident, with respect to traffic concerns at the intersection.

APPROVED – (Councillor F. Dale)
Recommendation - TSC-0118-2012

13. Additional Dismissal Report – June 2012

RECOMMENDATION

That the Additional Dismissal Report for the month of June 2012 be received.

RECEIVED – (B. Swedak)
Recommendation - TSC-0112-2012

The following recommendation emanated from the Additional Dismissal Report for the month of June 2012:

Having declared a conflict of interest, David Raakman, Vice- Chair, did not participate in any discussion or voting with respect to this matter.

June 15, 2012

Meadowvale Secondary School, Ward 9

Recommendation

1. That the Peel District School Board be requested to do the following during the 2012 summer break at Meadowvale Secondary School, 6700 Edenwood Drive:
 - a. Re-paint the School Zone Safety (Kiss and Ride) through and storage lane markings.

- b. Modify or replace the Direction Sign at the driveway entrance.
 - c. Install signs to clearly identify the location of the School Zone Safety (Kiss and Ride) Lanes.
 - d. Install signs to clearly delineate student and visitor parking on school property.
2. That Parking Enforcement be requested to enforce parking infractions between 2:50 p.m. and 3:15 p.m. along Edenwood Drive and Battleford Road in the vicinity of Meadowvale Secondary School.

APPROVED – (B. Swedak)
Recommendation - TSC-119-2012

14. Memorandum dated June 19, 2012 from the Legislative Coordinator

Memorandum dated June 19, 2012 from the Legislative Coordinator requesting that the Walk to School Subcommittee of Traffic Safety Council be authorized to purchase Frequent Walker Cards for the School Walking Routes Program.

RECOMMENDATION

1. That the Memorandum dated June 19, 2012 from the Legislative Coordinator regarding the purchase of Frequent Walker Cards for the School Walking Routes Program be received.
2. That the Walk to School Subcommittee of Traffic Safety Council be authorized to use up to \$350.00 from the Walk to School Subcommittee's budget allocation in the approved 2012 Traffic Safety Council Budget for the purchase of five thousand (5000) Frequent Walker Cards for distribution to schools involved in the School Walking Routes Program.

APPROVED – (Councillor S. McFadden)
Recommendation - TSC-120-2012

16. Email dated June 15, 2012 from Azeem Parvez, Technical Analyst, Traffic Signals and Systems, Region of Peel

RECOMMENDATION

That the email dated June 15, 2012 from Azeem Parvez, Technical Analyst, Traffic Signals and Systems, Region of Peel, with respect to the installation of pushbutton signs at the intersection of Cawthra Road and Atwater Avenue be received.

RECIPEVED – (L. Goegan)

Recommendation - TSC-0121-2012

17. Transportation and Works Department – Action Items (May 2012)

RECOMMENDATION

That the report dated May 2012 from the Transportation and Works Department advising of the actions taken regarding recommendations from Traffic Safety Council be received.

RECEIVED - TSC-0122-2012

Recommendation – (D. Goss)

Date of Next Meeting – September 26, 2012 at 5:00 p.m.

OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT – 5:53 p.m.

(L. Goegan)