

### **AGENDA**

### **FACILITY ACCESSIBILTY DESIGN SUBCOMMITTEE**

OF THE MISSISSAUGA ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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### **MONDAY, MAY 14, 2012 – 1:30 P.M.**

Committee Room A, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Civic Centre 300 City Centre Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5B 3C1

#### **Members**

Carol MacEachern, Citizen Member (CHAIR) Glenn Barnes, Citizen Member Carol-Ann Chafe, Citizen Member Naz Husain, Citizen Member Clement Lowe, Citizen Member Mike Parris, Stakeholder Member

#### CALL TO ORDER

#### ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

#### A. Park Path Light Review Study

Michael Gusche, Project Manager, Park Development, will provide an overview and update with respect to the Park Path Light Review Study.

A PowerPoint presentation will be delivered at the meeting.

#### B. <u>Credit River Parks Strategy</u>

Mark Howard, Planner, Parks Planning, will provide a presentation with respect to the Credit River Parks Strategy.

A PowerPoint presentation will be delivered at the meeting.

#### ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

#### 1. Park Path Light Review Study Powerpoint Presentation

Powerpoint presentation with respect to the Park Path Light Review Study, Mississauga, ON.

#### 2. <u>Credit River Parks Strategy Powerpoint Presentation</u>

Powerpoint presentation with respect to the Credit River Parks Strategy, Mississauga, ON.

#### RECOMMEND RECEIPT/APPROVAL

#### DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee - Monday, June 18, 2012 at 1:30 PM, Committee Room A, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Civic Centre.

Accessibility Advisory Committee – Monday, September 10, 2012 at 2:00 PM, at the Mississauga Valley Community Centre, Program Room 1.

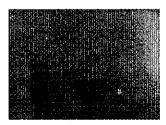
#### **ADJOURNMENT**

# Park Path Light Study

Parks and Forestry Park Development May 2012



High Pressure Sodium Light



**LED Light** 





Park Path Lighting alignment with the City's strategic goals.

Move

- paths our part of our transportation system

Belong

- ensuring safe and accessible routes

Connect

- walkable connected communities

Green -

- energy conservation



### Need to improve pathway illumination:

- Paths and trails part of City's transit network
- Pedestrian, cyclist and E-bikes conflicts

### Increased:

- colour rendition and depth perception
- ability to anticipate user conflicts
- inviting and safer experience

### Reduction:

- in energy consumption;
- in life cycle maintenance and replacement.



Lighting design is based on guidelines prepared by the Illumination Engineering Society of North America.

**Current standard:** 

Pedestrians traffic only.

EH 10 lux Evmin 5.0 lux

New standard:

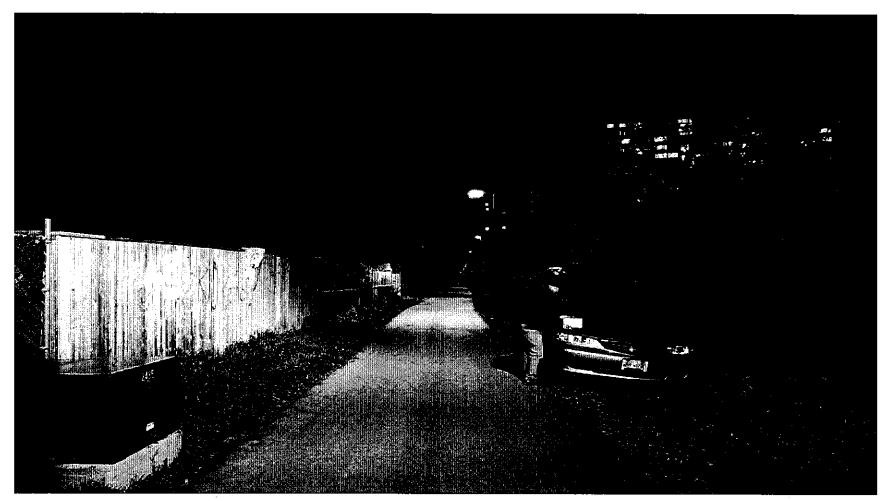
Mixed vehicle and Pedestrian traffic

EH 20 lux Evmin 10.0 lux



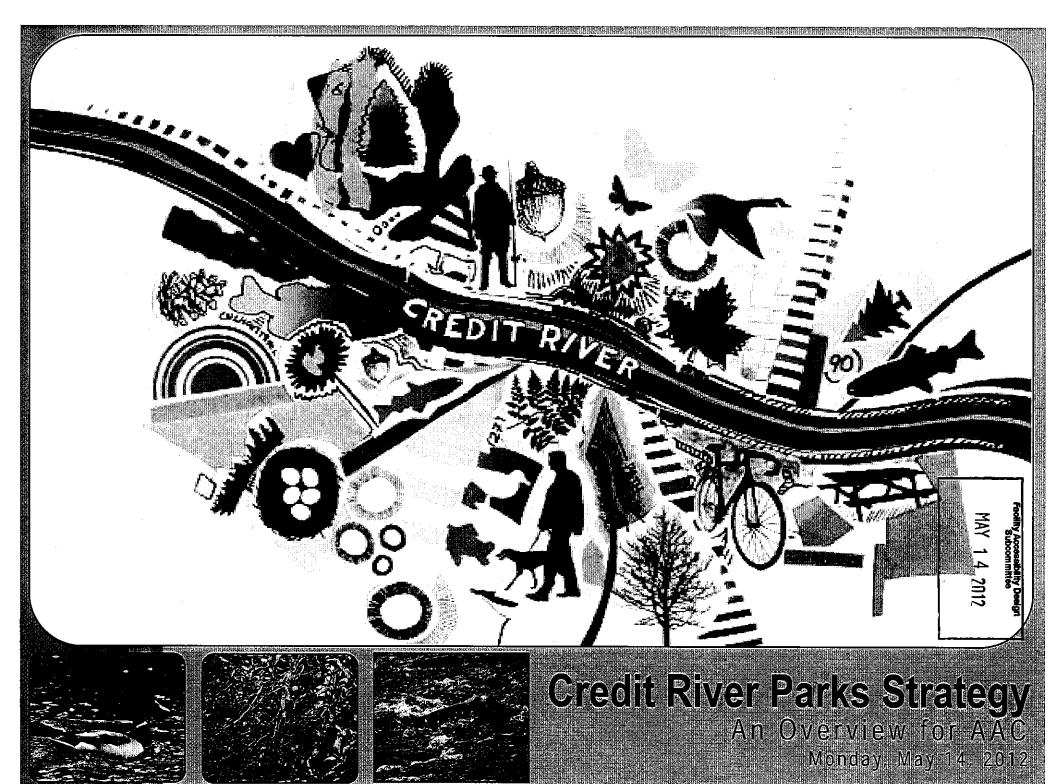
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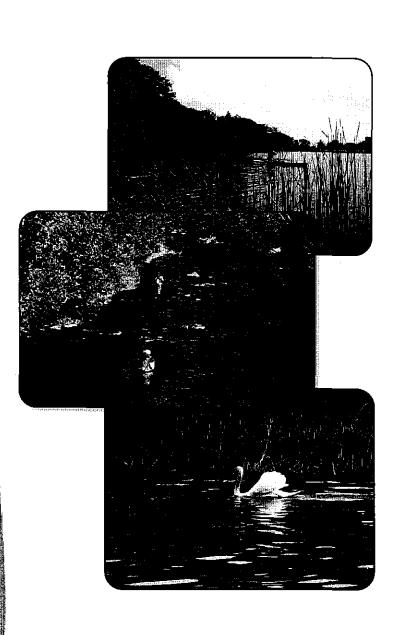


**New LED Lighting** 





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# **Presentation Outline**

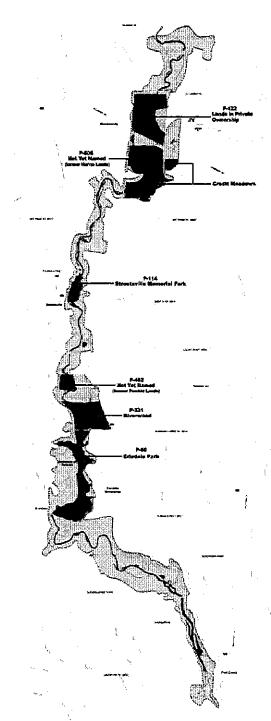
- Project Overview
- Study Area
- Engagement Milestones
- Key Messages
- Specific Messages
   Regarding Accessibility
- Approach to Accessibility
- Next Steps
- Questions/Feedback

# **Project Overview**



Credit River Parks
Strategy

- 25 year master plan to advance the recreation and conservation of City parkland
- Includes all City owned and managed lands along the Credit River
- Award Winning Consulting Team
- Over 3/4 complete
- Approximately 300 +/stakeholders have provided feedback (including AAC)



# **Study Area**

### Regional

- 90 km (56 mil) in Length
- Northern limit of the Carolinian Forest Zone
- Major migratory corridor

### Municipal

- 27 km (17 mi) in Mississauga
- 650 ha (1600 ac) of parkland and natural areas
- 41 Parks
- · Central to Recreation
- Fundamental to Cultural Heritage
- Crucial to Natural Heritage















# Study Area (continued)

- Seven Feature sites
  - Properties selected for potential to impact the River and the recreational system
  - Account for 52% of the total Study Area
  - Approximately 10% of the total City Parkland
    - 1. Lands extending north of Highway #401 to Derry Road West
    - 2. Yet Unnamed Park (P-505), the former Harris lands
    - 3. Credit Meadows Park (P-122)
    - 4. Streetsville Memorial Park(P-114)
    - 5. Yet Unnamed Park (P-462), the former Pinchin lands
    - 6. Riverwood (P-331)
    - 7. Erindale Park (P-60)

# **Engagement Milestones**

October 2010: Start-up Meeting with City Staff and Public Agencies

November 2010: Community Meeting #1

December 2010: Places and Spaces Interviews

• Jan /February 2011: Web Survey

• February 2011: Background Document Submission

March/April 2011 Internal Focus Group Sessions

March 11, 2011 AAC: One-on-One Session with Consulting Team

April/May 2011: Stakeholder Interviews

• May/June 2011: External Focus Group Sessions

• June 2011: Preliminary Master Plan Document

Draft Concept Plans for Feature Sites

June 28, 2011: Community Meeting #2

• **July 12, 2011**: Bus Tour

• September 14, 2011: Community Meeting #3

• November 28, 2011: Revised Concepts

Jan - Feb, 2012 : Staff review of revised Strategy

:March /April, 2012: Revisions to Plans

# **Key Messages**

City Parkland and Natural Areas within the Credit Valley must:

- 1. Be preserved and enhanced.
- 2. Positioned as the City's most important natural asset.
- 3. Be geared to uses that are primarily passive.

# **AAC One-on-One Session**

- 1. Universal Accessibility
- 2. Pathway/Trail improvements
- 3. Washrooms within parks
- 4. Greater opportunities for the visually impaired to enjoy the parks system.

# Accessibility within the Strategy

### **Base Principal:**

"We value and are working towards Universal Accessibility."

### **Community Principal:**

 To provide appropriate opportunities for accessible recreational and educational that reflect the diverse culture and demographic in Mississauga.

# **Community Objectives:**

- Provide (accessible) opportunities for access to and experience of the Credit River.
- Ensure accessibility wherever possible to residents and visitors of all ages and abilities.

# **Next Steps**

May /June 2012: Phasing plan and capital works budgets

Discussion with Committees of Council & Stakeholders

June 2012: Final Community Meeting (revisions as required)

July-August 2012: Revisions to Plans

• September 2012: Preliminary Presentation to General Committee

October 2012: Final Presentation to City Council



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