
Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee

Date: December 8, 2020
Time: 6:30 PM
Location: Online Video Conference

Members	Councillor Chris Fonseca	Ward 3 (Chair)
	Anna Tran	Citizen Member
	Earl Close	Citizen Member
	Kris Hammel	Citizen Member
	Jeff Fleming	Citizen Member
	Laiq Siddiqui	Citizen Member
	Larry Lindsay	Citizen Member
	Paulina Pedziqiatr	Citizen Member
	Rosanna Chacko	Citizen Member
	Sunil Sharma	Citizen Member
	Suzanne Doyle	Citizen Member (Vice- Chair)
	Prabh Banga	Citizen Member
	Robert Leuschner	Citizen Member

Staff Present Reanne Kassar

Present Agency Representatives/City Staff

Neal Smith, Project Manager, Sustainable Transportation, Region of Peel

Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation

Raymond Lau, Project Manager – Engineering, Park Development
Megan Schabla, Communications Coordinator
Stephanie Smith, Legislative Coordinator

1. CALL TO ORDER - 6:32 PM
2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
3. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

4.1 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee minutes - November 10, 2020

Larry Lindsay, Citizen Members noted an amendment to Item 8.4. to reflect that Mr. Neil Smith, Project Manager, Sustainable Transportation, Region of Peel, was not in attendance to respond to the inquiry regarding the Regional Cycling Program at Derry Road.

Approved (L. Lindsay)

5. PRESENTATIONS

6. DEPUTATIONS

6.1 Natalie Faught, Credit Valley Conservation

Ms. Natalie Faught, Credit Valley Conversation (CVC), provided an overview of the Credit Valley Trail (CVT) project that will flow from the Headwaters of the Credit at Island Lake Conservation Area to the mouth of the Credit River at Lake Ontario in Port Credit, spanning at 100 KM, with a series of 6 experiential themes.

Ms. Faught noted that the CVT is led by CVC in collaboration with many partners including municipal partners from the five municipalities, as well as interested community and Indigenous partners.

Ms. Faught further noted that there are opportunities to get involved and that anyone interested, can contact her directly.

Ms. Faught responded to enquiries from Committee Members with respect to target date for trail completion; how the trail will connect from Dundas Street to Port Credit; developing routes for mountain bikers; creating public awareness and public support, and trail ratings for cyclists and walkers/hikers.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0036-2020

Moved By E.Close

That the deputation from Natalie Faught, Credit Valley Conservation regarding the Credit Valley Conservation trail be received.

7. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD - 15 Minute Limit

Jonathan Giggs, Resident spoke to item 9.4 regarding Orr Road and enquired if the Committee would be consulted on the implementation of the project and noted the need for increased public consultation. Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation responded and noted that information would be shared with the Committee in the future.

Dorothy Tomuik spoke to item 9.4 and enquired about the number of kilometers delivered to date and when the 14 kilometers would be completed. Mr. Sweet spoke to the removal of the kilometers in the memorandum and to the timelines of the projects. Councillor Fonseca spoke to opportunities for cycling infrastructure to be built.

Natalie Halff, Resident spoke to item 9.3 and enquired about how much of the budget in 2019 and 2020 was spent compared to 2021. Mr. Sweet spoke to the standardization of budget reporting.

Chris Hazlett, Resident spoke to item 6.1 and mountain biking in the City.

8. CONSENT AGENDA

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0037-2020

Moved By S. Doyle

That the following item be approved through Consent Agenda:

9.8. 2021 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Meeting Dates

9. MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED

9.1 Network and Technical Subcommittee Update (Suzanne Doyle, Citizen Member 5 minutes)

Kris Hammel, Citizen Member spoke to the Bike Parking Program and security concerns from the City of Mississauga.

9.2 Communications and Promotions Subcommittee Update (Sunil Sharma, Citizen member 5 minutes)

Mr. Sharma spoke to his resignation from the Communications and Promotions Subcommittee and to the nominations received for the 2020 Phil Green Award. Suzanne Doyle, Citizen Member spoke to the gifts for the recipient of the Phil Green Award.

Kris Hammel, Citizen Member did not vote on this matter due to a potential conflict.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0038-2020

Moved By J. Fleming

That Janice Lowe be the 2020 recipient of the Phil Green Award.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0039-2020

Moved By J. Fleming

That the letter from Sunil Sharma, Citizen Member regarding his resignation as Chair of the Promotions and Communications Subcommittee be received.

9.3 2021 Cycling Program Budget - 0728-2020 (Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation 10 minutes)

Mr. Sweet provided an overview of the 2021 Cycling Program Budget.

Jeff Fleming, Citizen Member and Councillor Fonseca spoke to midblock crossing budget items and Federal funding.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0040-2020

Moved By E.Close

That the presentation by Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation regarding the 2021 Cycling Program Budget be received.

9.4 AT COVID Framework – December Update (Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation 10 minutes)

Mr. Sweet provided and update on the AT Covid Framework.

Suzanne Doyle, Citizen Member spoke to the Credit Valley project and enquired what type of crossings would be implemented. Fred Sandoval, Active Transportation Coordinator spoke to bike lanes being implementation and consultation with the Region of Peel for Erin Mills.

Councillor Fonseca spoke to the implementation of quiet streets and to include active transportation at locations and spoke to an update from Traffic Safety Council for the Covid Recovery. Mr. Sweet spoke to Traffic Safety staff to provide an update to MCAC.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0041-2020

Moved By A. Tran

That the December Active Transportation COVID Framework update be received.

9.5 Signage Review (Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation 5 minutes)

Fred Sandoval, Active Transportation Coordinator provided an overview on the new pilot signage.

Suzanne Doyle, Citizen Member spoke to the importance of standardization for signage throughout municipalities. Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation spoke to the different types of signage. Councillor Fonseca spoke to the turtle signage, the need to consistency of signage and to a letter sent by the Region of Peel regarding Vision Zero and bike education.

Sunil Sharma, Resident enquired about a temporary sign to receive input from the community.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0042-2020

Moved By S. Sharma

That the memorandum entitled Trail Signage Best Practices from Fred Sandoval, Active Transportation Coordinator, Active Transportation and Amy Parker, Active Transportation Technologist, Active Transportation be received.

9.6 Bike Summit Report Back (Earl Close, Citizen Member 10 Minutes)

Mr. Close provided an update on the 2020 Bike Summit that took place December 1-3, 2020. Suzanne Doyle, Citizen Member spoke to the Active Transportation presentation to be shared with MCAC. Larry Lindsay, Citizen Member spoke to the key points from the summit and that further discussion take place at the January MCAC meeting.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0043-2020

Moved By S. Doyle

That the Bike Summit Report Back be deferred to the January 2021 MCAC meeting.

9.7 Take the Pledge Peel

Members of the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee took a photo of the Take the Pledge Peel.

9.8 2021 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Meeting Dates (CONSENT)

10. OTHER BUSINESS

Suzanne Doyle spoke to appointing new members to the Communications and Promotions Subcommittee.

Larry Lindsay, Citizen Member spoke to closing the gap on Derry Road and for an update to be brought to the January meeting. Neal Smith, Project Manager, Region of Peel spoke to a second phase update on Derry Road and that an update would be brought to a future meeting.

Councillor Fonseca spoke to a Carassauga ride to be added to a future meeting, the Regional Vision Zero report on driver education be brought to a future MCAC meeting and for a safety audit of intersections be brought to a future meeting.

11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING - January 12, 2021

12. ADJOURNMENT - 9:10PM