
Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee

Date: July 11, 2023
Time: 6:31 PM
Location: Council Chambers, Civic Centre, 2nd Floor
300 City Centre Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5B 3C1
and Online Video Conference

Members	Councillor Alvin Tedjo	Ward 2 (Chair)
	Councillor Chris Fonseca	Ward 3 (Vice-chair)
	Ryan Donik	Citizen Member
	Bill Johnston	Citizen Member
	Barbara Leskovec	Citizen Member
	Adrienne Szabo	Citizen Member
	Vicki Tran	Citizen Member
	Moaz Ahmad	Citizen Member
	John Currie	Citizen Member
	Mark Currie	Citizen Member
	Juelene Stennett	Citizen Member

City Staff/Agency Representatives

Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services
Nathan Sinka, Traffic Engineer, Region of Peel
Catherine Nguyen-Pham, Communications Advisor
Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management
Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation
Collin Patterson, Manager, Traffic Services & Road Safety
Raymond Lau, Project Manager – Engineering, Park Development
Michelle Sanstra, Legislative Coordinator

1. CALL TO ORDER

Councillor Tedjo, Chair called the meeting to order at 6:31 PM.

2. INDIGENOUS LAND STATEMENT

Councillor Tedjo, Chair cited the Indigenous Land Statement.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Approved (J. Stennett)

4. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

5. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

5.1 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Draft Minutes - June 13, 2023

That the June 13, 2023 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Minutes be approved.

Approved (V. Tran)

6. DEPUTATIONS

6.1 Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services and Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management regarding a Vision Zero Update

Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services and Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management spoke to the Vision Zero Update.

Councillor Tedjo provided stats regarding cyclists and pedestrian injuries from the previous four years.

Members of the Committee engaged in discussion and enquired about:

- non-protected intersections (Dixie Rd. & Cawthra Rd.)
- mounting and dismounting of bikes at protected intersections
- pedestrian refuge islands
- signalized intersections and timing at pedestrian and cycling crossings
- LED no right turn signals

Mr. Blair, Mr. Rogers and Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation responded to the enquires and comments from the Committee.

ACTION ITEM: For the Traffic Signalling Operations team to attend a future meeting regarding signalized intersections and timing at pedestrian and cycling crossings.

ACTION ITEM: For the Vision Zero Program Lead to attend a future meeting regarding the Vision Zero program action items.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0020-2023

Moved By Moaz Ahmad

That the deputation and associated presentation from Sam Rogers, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services and Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management regarding a Vision Zero Update, be received.

Received

6.2 Item 6.1 - Athina Tagidou, Applewood Hills & Heights Residents' Association (AHHRA)

Ahina Tagidou, Applewood Hills & Heights Residents' Association (AHHRA) spoke to Item 6.1. Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services and Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management regarding a Vision Zero Update

No discussion took place regarding this matter.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0021-2023

Moved By Moaz Ahmad

That the deputation from Athina Tagidou, Applewood Hills & Heights Residents' Association (AHHRA), regarding Item 6.1 Vision Zero Update, be received.

(MCAC-0021-2023)

Received

7. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD - 15 Minute Limit

Glenn Voakes, Resident asked the following question(s):

Question 1

Has there been any investigation done, will there be any investigation done on head start signals (leading pedestrian intervals) to consider the risks for cyclists and pedestrians, and will the City consider no right on red.

Councillor Tedjo responded that a pilot project has been implemented across 20 intersections with the intention to make it safer for pedestrians to get a head start. Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services responded that there are 20 as a pilot with 200 to be rolled out. Mr. Rogers noted that at the next meeting a full Vision Zero update will be presented along with team member from the Traffic Signals Team to provide further details.

Moaz Ahmad, Committee Member asked the following question(s):

Question 1

Is there is a plan for pilot projects to be implemented in each ward regarding leading pedestrian intervals (LPI) and no right turn on red and to report back with updates. Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services responded to the enquiry and noted that a member from the traffic signal team will attend the next meeting to speak to the detailed implementation plan.

Mark Currie, Citizen Member asked the following question(s):

Question 1

Is there consideration for a stop gap measure at smaller intersections particularly with the right on red and enquired about the user green and the cross rides.

Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation responded that here is a threshold in terms of intersection geometry and traffic volume and moving forward changes will be made to implement more on a wider scale and noted that the Vision Zero and Traffic Signalling team will report back at the next meeting regarding leading bicycle and pedestrian intervals.

Nada Tijanic, Resident, asked the following question(s):

Question 1

How is the City going to help residents adapt to the changes of the bicycle centred lifestyle?

Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation highlighted a few programs, services, library workshops and education that the City offers.

Question 2

Will there be any By-laws to increase parking for bikes at shopping centres, schools, residential buildings, churches or other places along with storage or in residence parking and along Bloor Street? What about covered parking for bikes? Is that meant to replace the parents that drop them off?

Councillor Tedjo responded that new developments are required to provide more parking for bikes. Councillor Fonseca responded that there are a number of proposed applications for along Bloor Street that include the requirements.

Councillor Fonseca spoke to a collaboration with Traffic Safety Council regarding the Bike to school initiative with the school boards and a partnership with Peel Safety Village which provides cycling education to families. Councillor Fonseca also spoke to the partnership with Mississauga Tourism Board and other business that participant in bike parking at the work place.

Matthew Sweet, Manager, responded that larger scale insulation or covered parking is under review. Councillor Fonseca responded that it's a combination of educating and encouraging families to have their kids ride to school and spoke to numerous biking campaigns and business collaborations.

Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation spoke to the bicycle parking program that's City run and maintained.

8. CONSENT AGENDA

No item(s) were approved under Consent Agenda.

9. MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED

9.1 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2023 Action Item List (5 Minutes)

Matthew Sweet provided a quick update regarding item(s) on the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2023 Action Item List.

Councillor Fonseca enquired about other options for events to replace the Tour de Mississauga. Matthew Sweet responded to the enquiry from Councillor Fonseca.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0022-2023

Moved By Adrienne Szabo

That the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2023 Action List for July 11, 2023, be approved.

Approved

10. INFORMATION ITEMS- Nil

11. OTHER BUSINESS

Juelene Stennett, Citizen Member spoke about bike rehabilitation initiatives and lack of cycling storage. Vicki Tran, Citizen Member spoke to a bike program at the Sheridan Mississauga campus and echoed the storage issue they encounter. Councillor Tedjo suggested inviting community partners to attend a future meeting regarding the bike rehabilitation program and storage solutions.

Moaz Ahmad, Citizen Member enquired if the City is looking at corporate partners, community, non-profit and other organizations to sponsor cycling infrastructure in the future.

Sam Rogers, Director, Infrastructure Planning & Engineering Services responded to enquiries from the Committee.

Raymond Lau, Project Leader, Engineering advised the Committee that a presentation regarding bike storage will be brought back at a future meeting.

12. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Tuesday, 8 August 2023 @ 6:30 PM

Council Chambers, Civic Centre, 2nd Floor
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13. ADJOURNMENT

7:49 PM (B. Johnston)

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