Minutes



Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee

Date: March 19, 2024

Time: 6:03 PM

Location: Council Chambers, Civic Centre, 2nd Floor

300 City Centre Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5B 3C1

and Online Video Conference

Members Present Councillor Alvin Tedjo Ward 2 (Chair)

Councillor Chris Fonseca Ward 3 (Vice-chair)
Barbara Leskovec Citizen Member
Bill Johnston Citizen Member
Moaz Ahmad Citizen Member
Juelene Stennett Citizen Member
Ryan Donik Citizen Member
Vicki Tran Citizen Member

Members Absent Adrianne Szabo Citizen Member

Mark Currie Citizen Member

Staff Present

Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management
Fred Sandoval, Active Transportation Coordinator
Raymond Lau, Project Manager, Engineering, Park Development
Jennifer Andrade, Technical Analyst, Public Education & Outreach Ops Support, Region of Peel
Catherine Nguyen-Pham, Communications Advisor
Eglantina Bacaj-Gondia, Legislative Coordinator

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1. <u>CALL TO ORDER</u>

Councillor Tedjo, Chair called the meeting to order at 6:03 PM

2. INDIGENOUS LAND STATEMENT

Councillor Tedjo, Chair recited the Indigenous Land Statement.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

That the March 19, 2024 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Agenda be approved as presented.

Approved (B. Johnston)

4. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Nil

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

5.1 <u>Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Minutes - February 13, 2024</u>

That the February 13, 2024 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee minutes be approved.

Approved (M. Ahmad)

6. PRESENTATIONS - Nil

7. DEPUTATIONS

7.1 Rory O'Sullivan, Capital Project Manager, Rapid Transit and Lin Rogers, Manager, Rapid Transit regarding the Hazel McCallion Line Project Update and Cycling Overview

Rory O'Sullivan, Capital Project Manager, Rapid Transit spoke to the Hazel McCallion Line cycling infrastructure and facilities.

Committee Members engaged in discussion and inquired about the following topics:

- Bicycle track width
- Project construction timeline
- Cycling connection to the 407 bus terminal
- Derry Road and Hurontario Street intersection
- Derry Road: Red light traffic signal for vehicles; and cycle track and sidewalk navigation for those with visual impairments
- Port Credit GO Station bicycle storage area

Lin Rogers, Manager, Rapid Transit noted that as a partner in the Hazel McCallion Line Project, the City of Mississauga currently has no timelines for cycling infrastructure completion. Ms. Rogers noted that once details become available by the contract owner, Metrolinx, around timelines of the cycling infrastructure completion, an update can be provided to the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee.

Moaz Ahmad, Citizen Member spoke to the intersection at Derry Road and Hurontario Street expressing concern over cyclist and pedestrian safety noting that large trucks travel through Edwards Boulevard and Topflight Drive. Direction was given to Active Transportation staff to review cycling connectivity options for the City of Mississauga and report back to the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0023-2024

Moved By Vicki Tran

That the deputation and associated presentation from Rory O'Sullivan, Capital Project Manager, Rapid Transit and Lin Rogers, Manager, Rapid Transit regarding the Hazel McCallion Line Project Update and Cycling Overview dated March 19, 2024, be received.

Received

7.2 <u>Fred Sandoval, Coordinator, Active Transportation regarding the Cycling Program Quarterly Update</u>

Fred Sandoval, Coordinator, Active Transportation summarized the quarterly Cycling Program update.

Committee Members engaged in discussion regarding public information sessions, Argentia Road bicycle lanes, and adding (where applicable) links to projects listed in the Cycling Program update, including photos or renderings.

Active Transportation staff noted project website links will be added to the next Cycling Program update to the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0024-2024

Moved By Barbara Leskovec

That the deputation and associated presentation from Fred Sandoval, Coordinator, Active Transportation regarding the Cycling Program Quarterly Update dated March 19, 2024, be received.

Received

7.3 Items 7.1, 7.2 and 10.4 Rahul Mehta, Resident

Rahul Mehta, Resident spoke to item 7.1 and expressed concerns regarding project completion timelines, and commented on adjacent cycling infrastructure and electronic bike counters.

Mr. Mehta spoke to item 7.2 discussing the bicycle network completion, achieving the current Cycling Master Plan, and including regular updates on infrastructure built.

Mr. Mehta spoke to item 10.4 suggesting opportunities to include public input and best practices into the Work Plan for the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0025-2024

Moved By Juelene Stennett

That the deputation from Rahul Mehta, Resident regarding the following agenda items: Hazel McCallion Line Project Update and Cycling Overview dated March 19, 2024, Cycling Program Quarterly Update dated March 19, 2024, and Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2024 Work Plan Workshop Summary, be received.

Received

8. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD - 15 Minute Limit

Paul Marshall, Resident inquired why better bike route signage haven't been proposed for residential streets and parks in Ward 3 (related to item 7.2).

Fred Sandoval, Coordinator, Active Transportation responded that a number of routes are marked as signed routes and identified in the 2018 Cycling Master Plan; and further, the Cycling Master Plan update will focus on signage enhancements.

Jonathan Giggs, Resident, asked why the three new Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee awards weren't included during the 2023 Phil Green Award nomination period (related to item 11.1).

Councillor Tedjo responded that due to timing issues, the three new awards and 2024 Phil Green Award would be promoted throughout the current cycling season.

9. CONSENT AGENDA

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0026-2024

Moved By Bill Johnston

That the following items were approved on consent:

- 10.1 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2024 Action List (5 minutes)
- 10.4 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2024 Work Plan Workshop Summary

- 10.5 2024 Toronto Bicycle Show and E-Bike Expo Summary
- 11.1 2023 Phil Green Award Presentation Details Memorandum

<u>Approved</u>

10. MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED

10.1 <u>Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2024 Action List (5 minutes)</u>

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0027-2024

Moved By Bill Johnston

That the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2024 Action Item List, be approved.

Approved

10.2 Mississauga Cycling Communications and Promotions Subcommittee Verbal Update

Juelene Stennett, Citizen Member, noted that the Mississauga Cycling Communications and Promotions Subcommittee is working on next steps for the remaining four Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee awards.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0028-2024

Moved By Vicki Tran

That the Mississauga Cycling Communications and Promotions Subcommittee update on March 19, 2024 from Juelene Stennett, Citizen Member, be received.

Received

10.3 <u>Mississauga Cycling Network and Technical Subcommittee Verbal Update</u>

This item was not discussed.

10.4 Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee 2024 Work Plan Workshop Summary

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0029-2024

Moved By Bill Johnston

That the Memorandum from Matthew Sweet, Manager, Active Transportation dated March 11, 2024, entitled "2024 Work Plan Workshop Summary", be received.

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10.5 2024 Toronto Bicycle Show and E-Bike Expo Summary

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Moved By Bill Johnston

That the summary document entitled "Mississauga @ Toronto Bicycle Show and E-Bike Expo March 8 – 10", be received.

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11. <u>INFORMATION ITEMS</u>

11.1 <u>2023 Phil Green Award Presentation Details Memorandum</u>

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0031-2024

Moved By Bill Johnston

That the Memorandum from Eglantina Bacaj-Gondia, Legislative Coordinator dated March 13, 2024 entitled "2023 Phil Green Award Presentation Details", be received.

Received

11.2 Ontario Business Improvement Area Association 2024 Annual Conference (Verbal)

Councillor Fonseca, Vice-Chair spoke to the annual BIA Conference to be held April 28 - May 1, 2024.

Committee Members engaged in discussion related to the BIA Conference attendance and representation from the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee.

Direction was provided to Active Transportation staff to inquire with other City staff about offering complimentary or reduced rates for Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Members interested in attending the BIA conference.

RECOMMENDATION MCAC-0032-2024

Moved By Moaz Ahmad

That the update by Councillor Fonseca, Vice-Chair regarding the Ontario Business Improvement Area Association 2024 Annual Conference, be received.

Received

12. <u>OTHER BUSINESS</u>

Moaz Ahmad, Citizen Member inquired about the bicycle lane design on Confederation Parkway in relation to the Hazel McCallion LRT.

Jeremy Blair, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management, noted the options available for the City of Mississauga regarding the bicycle design and noted the City is aware of the constraints on Confederation Parkway.

Direction was given to Active Transportation staff to provide a summary of the Confederation Parkway bicycle lane analysis for the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee.

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING - April 9, 2024

14. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

7:31 PM (R. Donik)

