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EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF JANUARY 24, 2017

Item 1, Report No. 4, of the Committee of the Whole (Working Session), which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on January 24, 2017.

1 2017 YORK REGION TRANSIT (YRT/VIVA) ANNUAL SERVICE PLAN CITY-WIDE

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

- 1) That the recommendation contained in the following report of the Deputy City Manager, Planning & Growth Management and the Director of Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning, dated January 18, 2017, be approved; and
- 2) That the presentation from Mr. Adrian Kawun, York Region Transit, Manager, Service Planning, High Tech Road, Richmond Hill, Ontario and Communication C4, presentation material entitled, "2017 Annual Service Plan", be received.

Recommendation

The Deputy City Manager, Planning & Growth Management and the Director of Development Engineering and Infrastructure Planning recommend:

 THAT the presentation from York Region Transit staff on the 2017 Annual Transit Service Plan be received.

Contribution to Sustainability

Accessible and frequent local transit service will support compact urban form and will offer an alternative mode of transportation to the single occupant vehicle.

Economic Impact

There is no economic impact resulting from the recommendations of this report.

Communications Plan

YRT/Viva conducted extensive stakeholder consultation and obtained valuable feedback in preparing the 2017 Annual Service Plan.

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to provide Council with an overview of the 2017 York Region Transit Service Plan as background to a more detailed presentation from York Region Transit Staff.

Background – Analysis and Options

The YRT/Viva 2017 Annual Service Plan supports YRT/Viva's 2016-2020 Strategic Plan and provides direction to YRT/Viva staff in the planning and implementation of transit service in 2017. The goals of the 2017 Annual Service Plan include:

- 1. Service delivery
- 2. Customer satisfaction
- 3. Innovation
- 4. Environmental sustainability

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- 5. Asset Management
- 6. Financial sustainability
- 7. Performance management

The 2017 Annual Service Plan translates the strategic direction presented in the YRT/Viva 2016-2020 Strategic Plan.

The 2017 Annual Service Plan identifies service delivery changes in two existing local bus routes. The details of these service initiatives are provided in Attachment No.1 to this report and are the subject of the presentation from York Region Transit staff.

Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2020

This report is consistent with the priorities previously set by Council and the necessary resources have been allocated and approved.

Regional Implications

York Region is responsible for the funding and operation of public conventional and specialized transit services throughout York Region.

Conclusion

The presentation from YRT staff will provide an overview of the York Region Transit 2017 Annual Service Plan including the service delivery changes in Vaughan.

Attachment

1. Service Delivery Changes - Excerpt from 2017 YRT Annual Service Plan (Vaughan)

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(A copy of the attachments referred to in the foregoing have been forwarded to each Member of Council and a copy thereof is also on file in the office of the City Clerk.)