

CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF DECEMBER 13, 2016

Item 2, Report No. 14, of the Finance, Administration and Audit Committee, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on December 13, 2016.

2 CYCLING ROUTE ON CLARK AVENUE FROM YONGE ST. TO DUFFERIN ST.

The Finance, Administration and Audit Committee recommends:

- 1) That the recommendation contained in the following resolution submitted by Councillor Shefman, dated November 28, 2016, be approved; and
- 2) That the deputation of Mr. Kevin Hanit, Queensbridge Drive, Concord, be received.

Member's Resolution

Submitted by Councillor Alan Shefman.

Whereas, the City of Vaughan's proposed budget is currently before the Finance and Administration Committee, and

Whereas, Staff have provided a detailed budget that meets the 3 per cent or less tax increase requirement and the addition of a possible significant capital expenditure for this project is not feasible at this time, and

Whereas, the development of cycling facilities in the City is identified as a Council priority – "Continue to develop transit, cycling and pedestrian options to get around the City" and

Whereas, in July 2014, a detailed feasibility study – **Clark Avenue West Bikeability for Proposed Raised Track** – was conducted for the City. The study provides a variety of recommendations for the installation of a raised track cycling facility from Yonge Street to Dufferin Street, and

Whereas, a roadway revitalization project is scheduled for at least part of Clark Avenue for the 2018 budget year, and

Whereas, the Cycling and Pedestrian Task Force is currently considering a variety of recommendations including connectivity as a priority for cycling facilities in the City and that this cycle route will provide a key link into the Bartley Smith Pathway system located just west of Dufferin Street.

Therefore, be it resolved that;

Staff bring forward a cycling facility on the entire length of Clark Avenue for consideration for funding as part of the 2018 budget for Council consideration.

Attachments

None