



DATE: April 3, 2017

TO: Hon. Mayor Bevilacqua and Members of City Council

FROM: Gus Michaels, Director, By-law & Compliance, Licensing & Permit Services

SUBJECT: Item. 13, April 4, 2017 – Committee of the Whole – Request for Construction Noise Exemption – Ministry of Transportation (“MTO”) widening of Highway 400 – Wards 1 & 3

Recommendation:

The Director of By-law & Compliance, Licensing & Permit Services recommends:

1. That recommendation 2. e) in the report of the Deputy City Manager, Community Services and the Director of By-law & Compliance, Licensing & Permit Services, dated April 4, 2017, be amended to read as follows:
2. e) That no construction takes place on Statutory Holidays.

Purpose:

The purpose of this memo is to bring forward an amendment to the recommendation contained in the staff report on the above-noted matter) to allow for construction work to take place on a Sunday from midnight to 8:00 am on an identified non-holiday weekend in 2018 for completion of the demolish of the King- Vaughan Road Bridge and to ensure minimal impact to traffic.

Background:

Further to the April 4, 2017 Committee of the Whole Report Item No. 13, the applicant (“MTO”) advised City staff on March 31, 2017 of a singular critical construction/demolition activity that will need to take place on a Sunday, to be identified at a later date in 2018. This work is required in order to facilitate completion of the demolition of King-Vaughan Road Bridge and to ensure minimal disruption to traffic.

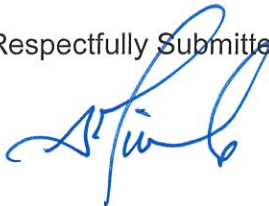
Conclusion:

City staff have reviewed the submission and believe that this amendment to recommendation No. 2, removing the word “*Sunday*” from the original recommendation, will still provide a reasonable condition to minimize and abate construction noise while facilitating the MTO’s need for work to take place on a Sunday in 2018.

Staff will continue to work with the MTO and ensure that the appropriate notifications are provided to all surrounding residents and business owners within a 60 meter radius as identified in recommendation No. 2. a).

Staff believe that the bridge work is necessary municipal work and that the request by the MTO to allow for demolition of King-Vaughan Road Bridge to take place on a Sunday in 2018, should be endorsed by City Council.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Community Services

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