

Summary of Recommendations

Committee of Council

The Corporation of the City of Brampton

Wednesday, September 23, 2020

2. CW188-2020

That the agenda for the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020 be approved, as amended, to add the following items:

- 9.3.2. Discussion Item at the request of Regional Councillor Fortini, re: Regional Updates
- 10.3.2. Discussion Item at the request of City Councillor Whillans, re: Road Resurfacing
- 11.3.1. Discussion Item at the request of Regional Councillor Palleschi, re: Bill C-237 (An Act to Establish a National Framework for Diabetes)

Carried

6.1 CW189-2020

That the following motions be **referred** to the September 30, 2020 meeting of City Council:

That future Government Relations Matters updates provide highlights of Regional activities, rather than in-depth analysis of Regional agendas.

That the City Clerk be requested to research past resolutions with respect to Government Relations Matters and report thereon to the September 30, 2020 meeting of City Council.

Carried

CW190-2020

That the staff report re: **Government Relations Matters**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020 be received.

6.2 CW191-2020

That the update from Mayor Brown re: **COVID-19 Emergency**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received.

Carried

7.1 CW192-2020

That the delegation from Shoaib Ahmed, CEO, SCOOTY (Scooty Mobility Inc.) to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **e-Scooter Micropilot held at Chinguacousy Park on August 28-30, 2020 and September 3-7, 2020**, be received.

Carried

7.2 CW193-2020

- That the delegation from Yvonne Robinson, National Director, STEM Montessori Academy of Canada, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: Acquisition of Central Public School for Educational and Economic Development Advancement be received; and
- 2. That the delegation request be **referred** to staff for consideration and a report back to a future Committee of Council meeting.

Carried

7.3/7.4/10.1.1/10.2.1/10.3.1

CW194-2020

That the delegation from Gideon Forman, Climate Change and Transportation Policy Analyst, and Malkeet Sandhu, Community Organizer, David Suzuki Foundation, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **Community Energy Plan and Greenhouse Gas Reductions Targets**, be received.

Carried

CW195-2020

That the delegation from Divya Arora, Co-Founder, Board Member and Political Advocacy Strategy Lead, and Lajanthan Prabaharan, Board Member and Regional Relations Specialist, Community Climate Council, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **Community Energy and Emissions Reductions Plan**, be received.

Carried

CW196-2020

WHEREAS climate change is currently responsible for billions of dollars in property damage worldwide through rising sea levels, poor air quality, intense wildfires, heat events, unpredictable droughts and heavy rains;

WHEREAS international science and research supports that massive reductions in greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in the next decade is required to avoid devastating economic, societal, and environmental loss;

WHEREAS many cities that declared climate change a state of emergency, have established a goal of reducing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 80% by 2050, as per The Paris Agreement;

WHEREAS the City of Brampton's Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan is recommending to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 50% from 2016 levels by 2040, and to establish a pathway to reduce emissions by at least 80% by 2050;

WHEREAS on June 6, 2019 Brampton Council officially declared a Climate Emergency for the purpose of aiming, framing, and deepening the City of Brampton's commitment to the protection of our ecosystems and community from climate change;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- That the staff presentation and report re: Brampton's Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan (CEERP), to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received.
- 2. That the Community Energy and Emission Reduction Plan and its Priority Projects be endorsed by Council;
- 3. The City of Brampton commit staff resources and capital funding towards the immediate development and implementation of the Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan's six priority projects, which include:
 - Ensuring the City of Brampton policies and programs align with supporting the CEERP Objectives and Targets;
 - Establishing a system to deliver standardized retrofits to Brampton homeowners;

- Updating the Transportation Master Plan (TMP) that prioritizes safer, healthier and more environmentally efficient movement of people which also reflects complete streets and the integrated nature of mobility and built form;
- Integrating District Energy Systems in appropriate locations within Brampton;
- Developing Integrated Energy Master Plans for public facilities and private development; and
- Establishing a community organization to lead the development and implementation of select priority projects.
- 4. That the following interim and total targets be approved:
 - a. to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 30% from 2016 levels by 2030;
 - b. to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 50% from 2016 levels by 2040, and
 - c. to establish a pathway to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by at least 80% by 2050; and
- 5. That staff be directed to update the Official Plan, as part of the Brampton 2040 Official Plan Review, to reflect the principles, goals, strategic directions and targets of the Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan; and,
- 6. That a copy of the City of Brampton's Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan and approved targets be provided to the Region of Peel, City of Mississauga, Town of Caledon, Sheridan College, Federation of Canadian Municipalities, Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ministry of the Environment, Conservation & Parks, Ministry Energy, Northern Development & Mines, TRCA, CVC, Peel District School Board, Dufferin Peel Catholic District School Board, and all local Brampton MPs and MPPs.

A recorded vote was requested and the motion carried unanimously, as follows:

Yea	<u>Nay</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Santos	nil	Medeiros
Vicente		
Whillans		
Palleschi		
Bowman		
Williams		
Fortini		
Singh		
Dhillon		
Brown		

10 Yeas 0 Nays 1 Absent Carried

CW197-2020

That the correspondence from Laura Bowman, Brampton Resident, dated September 20, 2020, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan (CEERP)** be received.

Carried

7.5 CW198-2020

- That the delegation from Asela and Inoka Unantenne, Residents of Brampton, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: Garbage Bin Storage on Residential Property be received; and
- 2. That the delegation request be **referred** to staff for consideration and a report back to a future Committee of Council meeting.

Carried

7.6 CW199-2020

- That the delegation from Sylvia Roberts, Brampton Resident, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: COVID-19 Recovery be received; and
- 2. That the delegation request be **referred** to staff for consideration.

Carried

7.7/8.2.1

CW200-2020

That the delegation from Terrie O'Leary, Executive Vice President, Business Strategy, Daniel Hengeveld, Senior Director, Investment Attraction, and Stephen Lund, Chief Executive Officer, Toronto Global, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **Toronto Global Update** be received.

CW201-2020

- 1. That the staff report re: **Toronto Global Re-Investment (File CE.x)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received; and
- That Council approve an amount of \$170,477.70 (\$167,135 plus 2% COLA as per the current agreement in place) for year two of the signed agreement for Toronto Global to work with the City of Brampton and regional partners on foreign direct investment; and
- 3. That City staff and Toronto Global continue to report to Council on foreign direct investment results and achievements on an annual basis.

Carried

7.8 CW202-2020

That the delegation from Pam Banks, RIC Centre, Shahzeb Rizvi, Toss Down, and Shawn Larkin, North American Dealer Parts Exchange Inc., to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **RIC Centre - Growth and Relocation into Brampton's Innovation District**, be received.

Carried

7.9/9.2.4

CW203-2020

That the delegation from Joe Spina, Director PVLCC 893, and Rick Wesselman, President PVLCC839, and Chairman, The Villages of Rosedale Inc., to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **Tax Fairness for the Villages of Rosedale Residents**, be received.

Carried

CW204-2020

- That the staff report re: Review of Tax Fairness for the Villages of Rosedale Residents to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received; and,
- 2. That staff be requested to provide a subsequent report specific to a potential noise wall in relation to the Villages of Rosedale.

7.10/11.2.3

CW205-2020

That the delegation from Sylvia Roberts, Brampton Resident, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, re: **Update on Transit Services**, be received.

Carried

CW206-2020

- 1. That the report re: **Update on Transit Services (File IB.C)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received; and,
- 2. That Council defer the fall 2020 transit service increases, approved as part of the 2020 budget, to the fall of 2021.

Carried

9.2.1 CW207-2020

- That the staff report re: Tax Adjustments, Cancellations and Reductions Pursuant to the Municipal Act, 2001, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received; and
- 2. That the tax account adjustments as listed on Appendix A of this report be approved.

Carried

9.2.2 CW208-2020

- 1. That the report re: **Capital Project Financial Status Report Q2 2020**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received; and
- 2. That the Capital Program be amended for the following capital projects:
 - Capital Project #093610.006 Project Design (Goreway Steeles to Brandon Gate): increase budget by \$250,000 (Reserve 137 – DC Roads) to align funding source with actual spending (new Region access road)
 - Capital Project #094500.006 Environmental Assessment (Sandalwood – McLaughlin – Heart Lake): increase budget by \$50,000

(Reserve 137 – DC Roads) to align funding source with actual spending (tree impact assessment)

- Capital Project #143380.001 Humberwest Parkway Widening: increase budget by \$500,000 (Reserve 137 – DC Roads) to align funding source with actual spending
- Capital Project #167720.001 Downtown Revitalization: increase budget by \$150,000 (Reserve 4 – Replacement of Assets) to align funding source with actual spending
- Capital Project #202770.002 Traffic Controller Upgrade: increase budget by \$410,000 (Region Cost Recovery) to align funding source with actual spending (purchase and installation of traffic controllers)
- Capital Project #202790.00 Traffic Signal Communication: increase budget by \$40,000 (Region Cost Recovery) to align funding source with actual spending (purchase of modems)
- Create new project Nurturing Neighborhoods Program transfer \$120,000 funding (Reserve 4 – Replacement of Assets) from project #207001.001 – Planning Vision Implementation

Carried

9.2.3 CW209-2020

- That the staff report re: 2020 Second Quarter Operating Budget and Reserve Report to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received;
- 2. That as per resolution BC018-2020.4, the following property tax funded reserves be closed due to redundancy and any remaining balances and/or liabilities be transferred to Reserve 4 (Asset Repair and Replacement):
 - a. Civic Centre Restoration (Reserve 10)
 - b. Official Plan Review (Reserve 37)
 - c. Theatre Capital Improvements (Reserve 58)
 - d. Operating Development Charge Contribution (Reserve78);
- 3. That future initiatives related to the reserves in Recommendation #2, be funded from Reserve 4 (Asset Repair and Replacement); and
- 4. That By-law 90-94, as amended, created to establish a Brampton Theatre Capital Improvements Reserve Fund, be repealed.

9.2.5 CW210-2020

- That the staff report re: 2020 Levy By-law per Section 323 of the Municipal Act, 2001 (Annual Levy on Universities/Colleges, Correctional Institutions, and Public Hospitals) to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received; and
- That a by-law be passed for the annual levy on Universities/Colleges, Correctional Institutions, Public Hospitals for the year 2020 as per Section 323 of the Municipal Act, 2001 in accordance with this report.

Carried

9.2.6 CW211-2020

- 1. That the staff report re: **Relief Measures for Overdue Property Taxes**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received;
- 2. That penalty and interest charges be suspended on tax arrears effective August 20, 2020 until December 31, 2020, through an amendment to the Final Tax Levy By-law 77-2020;
- 3. That the following Tax Collection activities be suspended for the remainder of 2020;
 - a. Registration of tax arrears certificate on title (lien on title of property)
 - b. Tax sales of property
 - c. Important Overdue Tax Notices;
- 4. That the following Tax Collection activities continue to ensure property owners and interested parties, such as mortgage providers are appropriately informed of the seriousness of the tax arrear situation;
 - a. Final Notice (2 years or more in arrears)
 - b. Urgent Notice to Interested Parties (3 years or more in arrears);
- 5. That overdue tax notices scheduled for issuance in October, be modified to remove the due date for payment in 2020, while informing property owners of amounts owing and encouraging continuation of payments for those who are able to do so;
- 6. That the overdue tax notification fee of \$7.00 plus HST be suspended for the remainder of 2020; and

 That staff continue to assess the economic impact of COVID-19 on our residents and businesses and report back to Council in December of 2020 with recommendations (if any) to manage overdue taxes and/or collections activity for 2021.

Carried

9.3.1 CW212-2020

That the following item be **referred** to the September 30, 2020 meeting of City Council:

Discussion Item at the request of Regional Councillor Fortini, re: **Rat** Infestation

Carried

10.1.2 CW213-2020

- That the staff presentation and report re: Centre for Community Energy Transformation (CCET) (formerly known as Institute for Sustainable Brampton, ISB) to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received.
- 2. That Council endorse, in principle, the recommended organizational model and approach for developing the Centre for Community Energy Transformation
- 3. That staff be directed to facilitate the transition of the Community Energy and Emissions Reduction Plan Task Force into an interim, transitional Centre for Community Energy Transformation (CCET) Board, initiate the process to incorporate the CCET as a non-profit organization, develop a CCET funding plan, and finalize roles and responsibilities of potential leaders, contributors and organizations;
- 4. That staff report back within the next 18 months on progress of establishing the Centre for Community Energy Transformation and,
- 5. That staff be directed to present the Centre for Community Energy Transformation to Regional Council; and
- 6. That the report be circulated to the Region of Peel, City of Mississauga, Town of Caledon, and Sheridan College for information.

A recorded vote was requested and the motion carried unanimously, as follows:

<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	Absent
Santos	nil	nil
Vicente		
Whillans		
Palleschi		
Bowman		
Medeiros		
Williams		
Fortini		
Singh		
Dhillon		
Brown		

11 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent Carried

10.3.2 CW214-2020

Whereas a review of the 2020 resurfacing program is underway and there are no geometric changes (i.e. curb relocations) to the current roadway recommended; and

Whereas the 2020 road resurfacing contract is underway and the schedule has already been affected by the current pandemic; and

Whereas there are many roads under the current resurfacing contract that already have on-road cycling infrastructure per the ATMP planned for implementation; and

Whereas any new on-road AT infrastructure not previously identified in the ATMP that is now recommended for addition, can be implemented after the road replacement has been completed.

Therefore be it resolved:

- That, until such time as staff report back to the September 30 Council meeting on the additional road rehabilitation resurfacing plan requests directed at the September 16, 2020 City Council meeting, staff continue with the following resurfacing projects:
 - Roads where work has commenced
 - Roads that can be started and finished in this construction season
 - Roads where AT infrastructure is already planned

2. That staff report back to September 30, 2020 meeting of Council on what roads under the existing contract are anticipated to be deferred until 2021.

Carried

11.2.1 CW215-2020

- 1. That the staff report re: **COVID-19 Relief Funding for Brampton Transit (File IB.c)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received;
- 2. That a by-law be enacted delegating authority to the Mayor and City Clerk to execute on behalf of the City of Brampton any Transfer Payment Agreements with the Her Majesty the Queen in right of Ontario as represented by the Minister of Transportation as required under the provisions that a) of any phases of Federal-Provincial Safe Restart Agreement (Municipal Transit), and/or, b) Provincial Municipal Transit Enhanced Cleaning Funding, under key business terms and conditions acceptable to the General Manager, Transit or designate, and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor or designate; and
- 3. That the aforesaid by-law also delegate authority to the General Manager, Transit or designate, to act as the Authorized Representative of the City and to execute on behalf of the City any amending agreement(s) or other documentation pursuant to any such Transfer Payment Agreements, under key business terms and conditions acceptable to the General Manager, Transit or designate and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor or designate.

Carried

11.2.2 CW216-2020

- 1. That the staff report re: **Electric Bus Status Update (File IB.c)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received;
- 2. That the General Manager, Transit will report back in 2022 on the status of battery-electric bus trial (eBus) Phase I following a period of one year after the official start of service with the new electric buses;
- That Council consider the approval of a project to implement Phase II of the eBus trial in support of the transition to an electric bus fleet, as described in this report, to be considered as part of the 2021 budget discussions, contingent on external funding;

- That Council approve an amendment to the 2020 capital budget to establish two new capital projects required to undertake the following key electrification studies: 1. Brampton Transit Network Electrification Feasibility Analysis and Rollout Plan (\$250,000), and 2. Brampton Transit Sustainable Fleet Transition Strategy (\$150,000), and that the combined total of these studies (\$400,000) be funded from Reserve 121 – Municipal Transit Capital Expenditures;
- 5. That the General Manager, Transit or designate be delegated the authority to execute on behalf of the City an agreement with CUTRIC for the completion of the Brampton Transit Network Electrification Feasibility Analysis and Rollout Plan on the terms described in this report and otherwise satisfactory to the General Manager, Transit or designate and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor or designate; and,
- 6. That the Director, Purchasing and General Manager, Transit, be authorized to begin procurement of the Brampton Transit Sustainable Fleet Transition Strategy as described in this report; and,
- 7. That the General Manager, Transit or designate, be delegated authority to act as the Authorized Representative of the City and to execute on behalf of the City any necessary documents, proposals, agreements including any amending agreement(s) or other documentation as may be required to complete the two studies noted in recommendations five (5) and six (6) of this report, under key business terms and conditions acceptable to the General Manager, Transit or designate and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor or designate.

Carried

11.2.4 CW217-2020

- That the staff report re: Neighbourhood Watch Brampton Pilot Expansion Update, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received;
- 2. That Council direct staff to implement the following option, as detailed in the report, to assist in addressing community safety and well-being, with a specific focus on neighbourhood engagement and resident participation:

Option ii: Enhance City-led programs that are in place, with an added focus on community safety and well-being:

a. Enhancement of the City's Nurturing Neighbourhood Program with an increased focus on community safety and well-being; and

- b. Include Community Safety and Well-Being programs as eligible initiatives under the Healthy and Safe Term of Council Priority in the 2021 Advance Brampton Fund Program.
- 3. That staff be directed to submit the cost of the agreed upon option in Recommendation 2 through the 2021 budget process for Council approval;
- 4. That staff be requested to report to a future meeting with a detailed breakdown of the pilot project finances.

Carried

11.2.5 CW218-2020

- That the staff report re: Budget Amendment: Outdoor Winter Recreational Amenities – COVID-19 Proposal and Request to Begin Procurement, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020 be received;
- That Council approve the proposal outlined in this report to implement three (3) new outdoor skating rinks, one (1) new outdoor skating trail, one (1) new outdoor cross-country ski and snowshoe trail and additional outdoor pop-up programming for the 2020/2021 season;
- 3. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for construction work and services in connection with the new outdoor amenities; and
- 4. That a budget amendment be approved and a new capital project be established in the amount of \$1.4 Million for the implementation of Outdoor Winter Recreational Amenities, with funding of \$1.4 Million to be transferred from Reserve #134 – Recreation Development Charges.

Carried

11.3.1 CW219-2020

That the park to be located at Goreway Drive and Humberwest Parkway, in Ward 8, be named in honour of former City and Regional Councillor, John Sprovieri.

Carried

11.3.2 CW220-2020

That Brampton City Council endorse Bill C-237 An Act to Establish a National Framework for Diabetes; and,

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all Brampton MPs and MPPs, all Members of Parliament, and the Federation and Canadian Municipalities, Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Region of Peel, City of Mississauga, Town of Caledon, Peel District School Board and the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board.

Carried

12. CW221-2020

That the **Referred Matters List - 3rd Quarter 2020**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of September 23, 2020, be received.

Carried

14.1 CW222-2020

- That Council authorize the Chief Administrative Officer to execute on behalf of the City of Brampton the Naming Rights Agreement with Save Max Realty Inc. for the Brampton Soccer Centre, on such terms and conditions as considered by Council in closed session on September 16, 2020 and otherwise acceptable to the CAO and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor or designate in the amount of \$167,500 per year for a total of \$2,512,500 over fifteen (15) years; and
- 2. That a budget amendment be approved and a new capital project be established in the amount of \$200,000 to remove and replace signage that will be managed by City of Brampton, with funding of \$200,000 transferred from the General Rate Stabilization Reserve.

Carried

15. CW223-2020

That the Committee of Council do now adjourn to meet again on Wednesday, October 7, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. or at the call of the Chair.