
Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee

Date

2016/09/13

Time

6:30 PM

Location

Civic Centre, Committee Room A - Second Floor,
300 Civic Centre Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5B 3C1 Ontario

Members

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member, (Chair)
Irwin Nayer, Citizen Member, (Vice-Chair)
Councillor Chris Fonseca, Ward 3
Roy Buchanan, Citizen Member
David DGLISH, Citizen Member
Jonathan Giggs, Citizen Member
Edisa Kozo, Citizen Member
Greg Symons, Citizen Member
Barbara Hazel Tabuno, Citizen Member
Dorothy Tomiuk, Citizen Member
Andrew Paranczuk, Citizen Member

Agency Representatives/City Staff

Arthur Lo, TDM Analyst, Region of Peel
Steve Barrett, Manager, Transportation Infrastructure Management
Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation
Andy Bate, Supervisor, Traffic Operations
Dorothy Kowpak, Active Transportation Coordinator
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1. CALL TO ORDER
 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
 3. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
 4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING
 - 4.1. Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Minutes - August 9, 2016
 5. DEPUTATIONS
 - 5.1. Dundas Connects (Katie Ashbourne, Policy Planning Researcher 20 minutes)
 - 5.2. Communications Protocol (Laurel Schut, Manager, Corporate Communications 10 minutes)
 - 5.3. Region of Peel's Road Projects (Arthur Lo, Project Manager, Region of Peel 10 minutes)
 6. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD - 15 Minute Limit
(Persons who wish to address the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee about a matter on the Agenda. Persons addressing the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee with a question should limit preamble to a maximum of two (2) statements, sufficient to establish the context for the question, with a 5 minute limitation. Leave must be granted by the Committee to deal with any matter not on the Agenda.)
 7. MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED
 - 7.1. Opportunities for Cycling with the Public Transportation Infrastructure Fund (Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation Office, 15 minutes)
 - 7.2. Mississauga Cycling Survey (Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation 5 minutes)
 - 7.3. Pilot Share the Trail Event (Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation 5 minutes)
 - 7.4. Greg's Ride, Ontario's Ride for Safer Cycling (Greg Symons, Citizen Member 5 minutes)
 - 7.5. Tour de Mississauga (Donnie Morris, Citizen Member 10 minutes)
 - 7.6. Community Bike Rides Update – Donnie Morris, Citizen Member 10 minutes)
 - 7.7. Network and Technical Subcommittee Update (5 minutes)
 8. OTHER BUSINESS
 9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING - October 11, 2016

10. ADJOURNMENT

Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee

Date

2016/08/09

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6:34 PM

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Members Present

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member, (Chair)
Irwin Nayer, Citizen Member, (Vice-Chair)
Councillor Chris Fonseca, Ward 3
Roy Buchanan, Citizen Member
David Daghish, Citizen Member
Jonathan Giggs, Citizen Member
Greg Symons, Citizen Member
Dorothy Tomiuk, Citizen Member

Members Absent

Edisa Kozo, Citizen Member
Barbara Hazel Tabuno, Citizen Member
Andrew Paranczuk, Citizen Member

Staff Present

Brandon Quigley, TDM Analyst, Region of Peel
Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation
Andy Bate, Supervisor, Traffic Operations
Dorothy Kowpak, Active Transportation Coordinator
Stephanie Smith, Legislative Coordinator

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2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Please note that items 6.2 and 6.4 were discussed before item 5.1

Approved (J. Giggs)

3. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

4.1. Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Minutes - July 12, 2016

Approved (I.Nayer)

5. DEPUTATIONS

5.1. Auto Bicycle Comparisons (Tim Hayes Resident, 15 minutes)

Tim Hayes, Resident spoke to global warming, commuting cycling, greenhouse gas emissions, energy outputs and KgC02. He further outlined the benefits of commuting using a bicycle.

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member and Jonathan Giggs, Citizen Member enquired if Mr. Hayes had noticed an increase in commuting cyclist and what the City of Mississauga could do to encourage cycling. Mr. Hayes noted that more families need to get involved in cycling.

RECOMMENDATION

That the deputation by Tim Hayes, Resident regarding Auto Bicycle Comparisons be received for information.

Received (Councillor Fonseca)
Recommendation MCAC-0033-2016

6. MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED

6.1. Cycling Master Plan Update (Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation 30 minutes)

Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation spoke to the current Cycling Master Plan created in 2010 and that this update would refocus on cycling goals. He further noted that this plan would be structured around capital funding programs and grants, network priorities having recommendations that are strategized around funding, creating excitement and buzz around the Cycling Master Plan and that a survey would be created as the master plan needs current cycling data.

Dorothy Tomiuk, Citizen Member spoke to the measurability of targets, the need for a report card to grade the number of critical km's constructed according to the Cycling Master Plan and that staff need to be careful of what kind of questions are asked in a cycling survey.

Councillor Fonseca noted that the budget decision process has changed since the pervious Cycling Master Plan and that infrastructure funding and timelines need to be recalculated. She further noted the importance of showing personal and economic benefits of cycling and receiving feedback and input from Councillors and residents. Councillor Fonseca spoke to the Greater Toronto Airports Authority (GTAA) creating a transportation plan and that the GTAA might be interested in creating a cycling connection between Malton and the airport.

Mr. Gomberg spoke to digital strategies and getting people to cycling in Mississauga. He showcased a proposal for a Mississauga 50km loop that would tie into the City of Mississauga upcoming 50th anniversary. He noted that the loop would be an opportunity for recreation or commuting purposes.

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member enquired how much input the Committee would be able to provide to the updated Cycling Master Plan. Mr. Gomberg noted that the Committee and Network and Technical Subcommittee would be involved and requested that the Community Ride que sheets to be sent to him as he would get the routes plotted on a large map. He further noted that he would send the survey to the Committee for their review.

RECOMMENDATION

That Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation report monthly to the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee on the progress of the Cycling Master Plan update.

Approved (Councillor Fonseca)
Recommendation MCAC-0034-2016

6.2. Mid-Year Report: 2016 Cycling Network Program (Dorothy Kowpak, Active Transportation Coordinator 5 minutes)

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member noted that the Network and Technical Subcommittee met and discussed the Mid-Year Report: 2016 Cycling Network Program. He further outlined the subcommittees concerns and provided the following comments;

- Future communication must be clear; no grouping of types of infrastructure
- Signed routes and sharrows should be not grouped with infrastructure. Signed routes actually give a false sense of safety in some cases such as 9th line
- Literally no new infrastructure projects in past 2 years; no priority for cycling
- No cycling alone projects planned; all projects in relationship to other projects
- No pilot projects in the works
- City organization chart problem for cycling as somewhat buried in reporting structure of Active Transportation which makes it more difficult to push cycling priority
- Other municipalities such as Toronto, Milton and Hamilton really moving far ahead of us on infrastructure
- Hopefully the Master Plan update will address the concerns of the committee

Members of the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee engaged in discussion regarding the importance of signed routes and the cycling network in Mississauga.

6.3. Tour de Mississauga Transition to SustainMobility and Update (Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation and Donnie Morris, Citizen member 15 minutes)

Ben Gomberg, Manager, Active Transportation noted that SustainMobility is currently developing a 5 year plan to where the Tour is no longer a city sponsored event.

Greg Symons, Citizen Member and Jonathan Giggs, Citizen Member spoke to their implementations and involvement in creating a successful 2016 Tour de Mississauga.

6.4. Community Bike Rides (Donnie Morris, Citizen Member 10 minutes)

Donnie Morris, Citizen Member and Dorothy Tomiuk, Citizen Member spoke to the upcoming Community Rides and spoke to the volunteer marshals orientation training session.

6.5. Joint Committee of Western Lake Ontario (Irwin Nayer, Citizen Member 10 minutes)

Irwin Nayer, Citizen Member provided highlights of the Joint Committee of Western Lake Ontario meeting and noted that positive feedback was received from the attending municipalities. He further spoke to a proposed workshop to discuss the idea of Vision Zero and an application to reserve bikes in the City. Members of the Mississauga

Cycling Advisory Committee (MCAC) proposed discussing Vision Zero at a future MCAC meeting.

6.6. Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee Members and Press Inquiries (Stephanie Smith, Legislative Coordinator 5 minutes)

Stephanie Smith, Legislative Coordinator provided clarification on press inquiries that members of the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee might receive from media outlets. She noted that any inquiries received should be forwarded to either herself or Ben Gomberg for review before responding. Members of the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee expressed concern with getting staffs approval before responding. Ms. Smith noted that she would invite communications staff to the next MCAC meeting to provide clarity.

7. INFORMATION ITEMS - NIL

8. OTHER BUSINESS

Members of the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee engaged in discussion regarding the upcoming memorial ride for Jocelyn Lovell.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Mississauga Cycling Advisory Committee make a \$100.00 donation to the Canadian Spinal Cord Society – Mississauga Chapter on behalf of Jocelyn Lovell.

Approved (Councillor Fonseca)
Recommendation MCAC-0035-2016

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING - September 13, 2016

10. ADJOURNMENT - 8:55 PM