

Public Services Committee Meeting Monday, July 6, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. City Hall Council Chambers

Attendance

Members: Councillor Billings Councillor Gordon

Chair Downer Councillor Van Hellemond

Absent: Mayor Guthrie

Councillors: Councillor Bell Councillor MacKinnon

Councillor Hofland Councillor Wettstein

Staff: Mr. D. Thomson, Deputy CAO, Public Services

Mr. P. Meagher, General Manager, Guelph Transit

Mr. R. Keller, General Manager, Operations

Ms. K. Scott, General Manager, Parks and Recreation

Ms. C. Clack, General Manager, Culture, Tourism and Community Investments

Mr. D. Godfrey, Manager, By-law and Compliance Mr. D. McMahon, Council Committee Coordinator

Call to Order (5:00 p.m.)

Chair Downer called the meeting to order.

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof

There were no disclosures.

Confirmation of Minutes

1. Moved by Councillor Billings
Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond

That the open meeting minutes of the Public Services Committee held on June 1, 2015 be confirmed as recorded.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

Consent Agenda

The following items were extracted:

PS-2015.20 PUBLIC SERVICES ANNUAL REPORT

PS-2015.21 BUSINESS LICENCE BY-LAW REVIEW - FOOD

VEHICLE SCHEDULE AND TEMPORARY FOOD

SALES UPDATE

PS-3015.22 NEW TRAIL SECTIONS NEAT HANLON CREEK PS-2015.24 SPEEDVALE AVENUE BRIDGE UNDERPASS PS-2015.25 CRANE PARK FOOTBRIDGE

2. Moved by Councillor Billings
Seconded by Councillor Gordon

That the balance of the Public Services Committee July 6, 2015 Consent Agenda, as identified below, be adopted.

PS-2015.22 NORTHVIEW PARK – CONCEPTUAL MASTER PLAN

- 1. That the Public Services Report # PS-15-32 "Northview Park Conceptual Master Plan" dated July 6, 2015 be received.
- 2. That Council approve the Conceptual Master Plan for Northview Park.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4) VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

Extracted Items

PS-2015.20 PUBLIC SERVICES ANNUAL REPORT

Mr. Derrick Thomson presented the Public Services Annual Report. The report covered highlights, challenges and opportunities for each of the departments in the Public Services Service Area.

- 3. Moved by Councillor Billings Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond
 - 1. That the Public Services Report # PS-15-35 "Public Services Annual Report" dated July 6, 2015 be received.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4) VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

PS-2015.21 BUSINESS LICENCE BY-LAW REVIEW – FOOD VEHICLE SCHEDULE AND TEMPORARY FOOD SALES UPDATE

Jakki Prince asked for clarity surrounding the different categories of food trucks identified in the proposed by-law. Additionally, Ms. Prince recommended to Council that gourmet food trucks be permitted in the downtown area in 2015 as well as in city parks.

Reuben Sologna, a food truck owner and member of the Ontario Food Truck Association, spoke in favour of the proposed by-law.

Bruno Rachiele encouraged Council to grandfather in current food truck/cart establishment as well as to loosen the rules surrounding who can serve food at city festivals.

- Moved By Councillor Billings Seconded by Councillor Gordon
 - 1. That the Public Services Report # PS-15-36 "Business Licence By-law Review Food Vehicle Schedule and Temporary Food Sales Update" dated July 6, 2015 be received.
 - 2. That the amendments to Business Licence By-law (2009)-18855 to permit Mobile Food Preparation Vehicles to operate on city streets under certain conditions substantially in the form as attached in Public Services Report # PS-15-36, but subject to the approval and revision by the City Solicitor be brought before Council for approval.
 - 3. That staff be directed to complete the recommendations as set out in Attachment 2 of the Public Services Report # PS-15-36 and that where the recommendations direct staff to create amendments to the City's by-laws, that such amendments are brought back to Council for approval by the dates identified.
 - 4. That after one year of implementation of the initial and the final amendments to the Business Licence By-law (2009)-18855 with respect to Food Vehicles and Temporary Food Sales as contained in Public Services Report # PS-15-36, staff be directed to engage the public along with representatives of the Food Vehicle, Temporary Food Sale industries to identify the effectiveness of the amended licensing regime.

Amendment

5. Moved by Councillor Billings
Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond

That recommendation number eight in Attachment 2 of the report entitled Business License By-law Review – Food Vehicle Schedule and Temporary Food Sales Update be amended to the following:

That Mobile Food Preparation Vehicles be permitted to operate in the Guelph Farmers' Market parking lot and along Gordon Street/Wilson Street along the frontage of the Farmers' Market to Carden Street during market hours, providing that such operation complies with the Farmers' Market By-law (2009)-18874 and does not impede traffic flow on Wilson Street, with the exception of special events.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

Main Motion as Amended

- 6. Moved By Councillor Billings
 Seconded by Councillor Gordon
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- 3. That staff be directed to complete the recommendations as set out in Attachment 2 of the Public Services Report # PS-15-36, **as amended**, and that where the recommendations direct staff to create amendments to the City's by-laws, that such amendments are brought back to Council for approval by the dates identified.

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4. That after one year of implementation of the initial and the final amendments to the Business Licence By-law (2009)-18855 with respect to Food Vehicles and Temporary Food Sales as contained in Public Services Report # PS-15-36, staff be directed to engage the public along with representatives of the Food Vehicle, Temporary Food Sale industries to identify the effectiveness of the amended licensing regime.

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CARRIED

PS-2015.23 NEW TRAIL SECTIONS NEAR HANLON CREEK

- 7. Moved by Councillor Billings
 Seconded by Councillor Gordon
 - 1. That the Public Services Report # PS-15-33 "New Trail Sections Near Hanlon Creek" dated July 6, 2015 be received.
 - 2. That the proposed trail sections near Hanlon Creek be considered in the next Guelph Trail Master Plan update.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4) VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

PS-2015.24 SPEEDVALE AVENUE BRIDGE UNDERPASS

Ms. Yvette Tendick spoke in support of the construction of an underpass under the Speedvale Avenue Bridge as a means of promoting active transportation in Guelph.

- 8. Moved by Councillor Billings
 Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond
 - 1. That the Public Services Report # PS-15-34 "Speedvale Avenue Bridge Underpass" dated July 6, 2015 be received.
 - 2. That staff be directed to proceed with the preliminary design, environmental impact study of the proposed expansion of the existing Trans Canada Trail up to Riverside Park along the west side of the Speed River including an underpass at Speedvale Avenue Bridge.
 - 3. That staff be directed to complete the detail design of the trail including the underpass in conjunction with the Speedvale Avenue Bridge Reconstruction project.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4) VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

PS-2015.25 CRANE PARK FOOTBRIDGE

- 9. Moved by Councillor Billings
 Seconded by Councillor Gordon
 - 1. That the Public Services Report # PS-15-37 "Crane Park Footbridge" dated July 6, 2015 be received.
 - 2. That staff proceed with an environmental impact study for the proposed trail and bridge location in 2016 subject to budget approval.
 - 3. That discussions on the installation of a footbridge take place during the Guelph Trails Master Plan update.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillor Billings, Downer, Gordon and Van Hellemond (4) VOTING AGAINST: (0)

CARRIED

Adjournment (6:45 p.m.)

10. Moved by Councillor Seconded by Councillor

That the meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED

Dylan McMahon Council Committee Coordinator