

**The Corporation of the City of Guelph
Operations & Transit Committee
Monday, January 23, 2012 @ 5:00 p.m.**

A meeting of the Operations & Transit Committee was held on Monday, January 23, 2012 in Council Chambers at 5:00 p.m.

Present: Councillors, Findlay, Bell, Furfaro, Van Hellemond and Mayor Farbridge

Also Present: Councillor Dennis

Staff in Attendance: Mr. D. McCaughan, Executive Director of Operations & Transit; Mr. D. Godfrey, Manager, By-law Compliance and Security; Mr. R. Keller, General Manager, Public Works; Mr. D. McMillan, Traffic Technologist; Mr. B. Labelle, City Clerk; Ms. T. Agnello, Deputy Clerk; and Ms. D. Black, Assistant Council Committee Coordinator

There was no declaration of pecuniary interest.

1. Moved by Councillor Van Hellemond
Seconded by Mayor Farbridge
THAT the minutes of the Operations & Transit Committee meeting held on December 12, 2011 be confirmed as recorded and without being read.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillors Bell, Findlay, Furfaro and Van Hellemond and Mayor Farbridge (5)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

Carried

Consent Agenda

The following items were extracted from the January 23, 2012 Consent Agenda to be voted on separately:

OT 2012-A.1	Temporary Allowance of Exotic Animals
OT 2012-A.2	Idling By-law Review
OT 2012-A.3	Eastview Road – Speed Limit Reduction

Temporary Allowance of Exotic Animals

2. Moved by Mayor Farbridge
Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond
THAT the Operations & Transit Committee Report Temporary Allowance of Exotic Animals OT011203 dated January 23, 2012 be received.

AND THAT an exemption from By-law (1988)-12960 be granted to allow exotic animals (one camel) within the City limits during the

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Foundation of Guelph General Hospital's fundraiser gala being held on March 3, 2012 at 221 Stone Road East;

AND THAT Council authorize the Executive Director of Operations & Transit to approve temporary exemptions to the Exotic Animal Control By-laws (1988)-12960 and (1978)-9876, subject to the satisfaction of the Executive Director of Operations & Transit;

AND THAT the City's contracted animal control provider examines the animals before and after the event;

AND THAT the examination of the animals be included as a condition for the approval of the delegation of authority for exemptions to the exotic animal by-law.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillors Bell, Findlay, Furfaro and Van Hellemond and Mayor Farbridge (5)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

Carried

Idling By-law Review

- 3. Moved by Councillor Furfaro
Seconded by Councillor Bell

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THAT the Operations & Transit Committee Report OT011202 Idling By-law Review dated January 23, 2012 be received;

AND THAT amendments to the Idling By-law as set out in Operations & Transit Committee Report OT011202 Idling By-law Review dated January 23, 2012 be forwarded to Council for approval.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillors Bell, Findlay, Furfaro and Van Hellemond and Mayor Farbridge (5)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

Carried

Eastview Road – Speed Limit Reduction

- 4. Moved by Councillor Furfaro
Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond

THAT the Operations & Transit Committee report #OT011201 Eastview Road Speed Limit Reduction dated December 12th, 2011 be received;

AND THAT the speed limit on Eastview Road between Watson Parkway North and the easterly City limit be reduced from 60km/h to 50km/hr.

5. Moved in amendment by Councillor Furfaro
Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond
THAT staff be directed to conduct a comprehensive review of the streets surrounding Eastview Road in order to provide consistency of the speed limits within the area.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillors Bell, Findlay, Furfaro and Van Hellemond and Mayor Farbridge (5)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

Carried

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6. Moved by Councillor Furfaro
Seconded by Councillor Van Hellemond
THAT the Operations & Transit Committee report #OT011201 Eastview Road Speed Limit Reduction dated December 12th, 2011 be received;

AND THAT the speed limit on Eastview Road between Watson Parkway North and the easterly City limit be reduced from 60km/h to 50km/hr.;

AND THAT staff be directed to conduct a comprehensive review of the streets surrounding Eastview Road in order to provide consistency of the speed limits within the area.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: Councillors Bell, Findlay, Furfaro and Van Hellemond and Mayor Farbridge (5)

VOTING AGAINST: (0)

Carried

The meeting adjourned at 5:37 p.m.

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Chairperson