

CITY OF HAMILTON
MOTION

Public Works Committee
Date: May 30, 2016

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR T. WHITEHEAD.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR

Plan for an Escarpment Multi-Use Path (Wards 6, 7 and 8)

WHEREAS, the Niagara Escarpment, a designated UNESCO World Biosphere Reserve and an internationally recognized landform that is the cornerstone of Ontario’s Greenbelt; and

WHEREAS, the Niagara Escarpment segment traversing through the City of Hamilton, having unique views and vistas, is a treasured resource for current and future generations; and

WHEREAS, the City has the unique opportunity to develop a continuous pathway along the Escarpment Brow;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That staff be directed to report back to the Public Works Committee with a concept plan for a continuous multi-use path traversing from Mountain Brow Boulevard to Scenic Drive and that this plan include elements that enhance the unique views and vistas along this pathway;
- (b) That the concept plan identify features to be incorporated within the road right-of-way as well as the City’s park system;
- (c) That the plan also identify planning and development timelines along with cost estimates.