

Muto, Joe

From: International Village BIA
Sent: May-27-16 1:17 PM
To: Muto, Joe; Gorni, Carlo
Subject: Patio Pilot Project Feedback - International Village

Hi Joe,

I've discussed the patio pilot project with my board and here is our statement, followed by some comments and questions from my board members.

The board of directors for International Village BIA agree to support the 2016 patio pilot project. We will seek out interested BIA members who can apply to be a candidate to take part, and the BIA staff will work closely with city staff over the course of the project.

Since the Merchants Associations are very interested – and would like the same offerings as BIAs – then what is the difference between the two and why is this project not being offered solely to BIAs during the pilot ?

Because this comes so late in the season, and is a mad rush, care needs to be taken to ensure the process is not seriously flawed. One example could be the need to put the cart before the horse. I would agree that we should put out a request for participants in our newsletter – but what do we do if we subsequently find out that a large % of our members are opposed to the project ?

I like the idea of the City holding a lottery – it takes any potential member blame for wrongdoing/fairness away from us.

Will 2016 participants be automatic for 2017 – or a new lottery each year ? The 2016 participants will have "invested" in the project. Do they stand to lose that investment ?

Is this just for King Street businesses ?

What will next year look like will we be able to add more?

I'm off on Monday so that is why I am sending this in now.

We look forward to working with you on this and hearing some of your answers to our questions.

If you could get us the potential parking revenue loss numbers as discussed yesterday that would help us in understanding where the \$1,000 should go before we put this out to our members. I'm hoping to send out a newsletter next week.

Thanks,
Susie

Muto, Joe

From: Gorni, Carlo
Sent: May-30-16 9:54 AM
To: Muto, Joe
Subject: FW: Pop Up Patios

From: Kathy drewitt
Sent: May-26-16 3:18 PM
To: Gorni, Carlo
Subject: Pop Up Patios

Hi Carlo

My board already has given me authorization to say we want to support this initiative in whatever way we can to facilitate some of these in our area this summer.

Thanks

Kathy



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From: Gorni, Carlo
Sent: May-30-16 9:55 AM
To: Muto, Joe
Subject: FW: Meeting-Seasonal Patios Using On-Street Parking Spaces

From: Doug Sutherland
Sent: May-24-16 10:09 AM
To: Gorni, Carlo
Subject: Re: Meeting-Seasonal Patios Using On-Street Parking Spaces

Hi Carlo

Our Board of Management has already looked at this proposal and decided against it. The principle reason is if people don't find a parking spot easily they won't stop to shop or eat. This comes directly from the customers of the shops that could use a patio of this nature.

I won't be able to attend the meeting on Thursday.

I have also attached a copy of the minutes of our last BIA meeting.

Doug Sutherland

Muto, Joe

From: Gorni, Carlo
Sent: May-30-16 12:37 PM
To: Muto, Joe
Subject: FW: Patio pilot project

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From: Phyllis Kraemer
Sent: May-30-16 12:19 PM
To: Gorni, Carlo
Cc: Lisa Anderson
Subject: Patio pilot project

Good Afternoon Carlo,

Please include the Downtown Dundas BIA as positively interested to be part of the Pilot program for patios. We have Board approval to move forward. I am sending this to you to meet the deadline of noon...sorry we are 18 minutes late! It was difficult to get everyone over the weekend. Lisa is Buskerfesting today...which is why I am responding.

thanks

Phyllis Kraemer
Chair, Downtown Dundas BIA

Muto, Joe

From: Gorni, Carlo
Sent: May-30-16 3:25 PM
To: Muto, Joe
Subject: FW: Meeting-Seasonal Patios Using On-Street Parking Spaces

From: Executive Director
Sent: May-30-16 3:20 PM
To: 'joe.muto@hamilton.ca.'; Gorni, Carlo
Cc: 'gw_geoff'
Subject: FW: Meeting-Seasonal Patios Using On-Street Parking Spaces

Good afternoon gentlemen,

The Ancaster BIA has had the opportunity to review the materials and discuss this opportunity at our last Board meeting for On-Street Patios. With our very limited metered parking spaces (18) and limited overall parking spaces in the BIA, we are not sure this would be feasible for our BIA. We look forward to seeing how this works out in other BIAs.
Kind regards,

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