



INFORMATION REPORT

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| TO: | Chair and Members Planning Committee |
| COMMITTEE DATE: | July 5, 2016 |
| SUBJECT/REPORT NO: | Update on Proposal from the Nikola Tesla Educational Corporation to Change the Street Name for a Portion of Burlington Street East to Nikola Tesla Boulevard (PED15145(a)) (Wards 4 and 5) (Outstanding Business List) |
| WARD(S) AFFECTED: | Wards 4 and 5 |
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Council Direction:

On October 6, 2015, the Planning Committee approved Report PED15145 with the following recommendation:

- (a) That Planning Committee pass a resolution to support the renaming of a portion of Burlington Street East from the QEW to 165 metres east of Ottawa Street North in both directions, as identified on Appendix "A" and "B" to Report PED15145;
- (b) That a By-law be held in abeyance until staff are satisfied that all cost associated with the proposal for street sign replacements can be covered by the Nikola Tesla Educational Corporation (NTEC).

On October 14, 2015, Council amended and approved Report PED15145 to change the suffix from Expressway to Boulevard.

Information:

City staff wish to inform the Planning Committee that the Nikola Tesla Education Corporation (NTEC) was successful in raising the required funds for the cost toward changing street signs along Burlington Street East and the QEW.

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The NTEC has been working with the Traffic Operations Section of the Public Works Department on the payment method and timing for the changing of the signs, which are expected to take place in mid-July. The NTEC is also in separate discussions with the MTO to change the signs on the QEW at the same time.

The Traffic Operations Section of the Public Works Department have indicated that they are satisfied with the payments and arrangements with NTEC, and therefore the By-law may proceed to be signed by the City Clerk and Mayor.

This item may be considered complete and removed from the Planning Committee Outstanding Business List.

APPENDIX ATTACHED:

Appendix "A" – Street Name Change By-law