

TRUCK ROUTE SUB-COMMITTEE REPORT 16-004

Thursday, September 1, 2016 9:30 a.m., Room #192 Hamilton City Hall

Present: Councillor R. Pasuta (Chair)

Councillors B. Johnson (Vice-Chair), M. Pearson, J. Partridge,

and S. Merulla

Absent: Councillor T. Jackson – Personal

THE TRUCK ROUTE SUB-COMMITTEE PRESENTS REPORT 16-004 AND RESPECTFULLY RECOMMENDS:

- 1. Centennial Parkway Request to Remove Heavy Trucks from Traffic By-law No. 01-215 (Item 8.1)
 - (a) That the Memorandum from the Project Manager, Traffic Safety, Traffic Operations and Engineering, respecting Centennial Parkway Request to Remove Heavy Trucks from Traffic By-law No. 01-215, be received; and,
 - (b) That staff be directed to include a review of the removal of Centennial Parkway from the Truck Route System as part of the Truck Route Master Plan review scheduled for 2017, consulting both Area Councillors throughout the process.
- 2. Traffic By-law 01-215 Amendment Respecting Farm Truck Exemptions (Item 9.1)

WHEREAS the Truck Route Sub-Committee has considered the matter of Farm Trucks on rural roads; and,

WHEREAS, there is a lack of truck routes in rural areas of Hamilton;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That Section 56(6) of By-law 01-215 (Traffic By-law) be amended to read "Section 56(2) shall not apply to vehicles bearing a "Farm Truck" License plate under the Highway Traffic Act, Reg. 628";
- (b) That Rural Boundaries be defined in the City of Hamilton Official Plan and highlighted on the Truck Route Map; and
- (b) That Sub-sections 56(6) and (b) of By-law 01-215 (Traffic By-law) be deleted.

3. Traffic By-law 01-125, Amendment Respecting Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway (Added Item 10.1)

WHEREAS, the Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway extension is expected to be completed in September 2016; and,

WHEREAS, it is required to make an amendment to Schedule 27 to permit heavy trucks to access this roadway;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Traffic By-Law 01-215, Schedule 27, be amended to add the Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway between Stone Church Road and Rymal Road.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF COMMITTEE:

(a) CHANGES TO THE AGENDA (Item 1)

The Committee Clerk advised that there were no changes to the agenda.

The agenda for the September 1, 2016 Truck Route Sub-Committee meeting, was approved, as presented.

(b) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Item 2)

There were no declarations of interest.

(c) APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Item 3)

June 7, 2016 (Item 3.1)

The Minutes of the June 7, 2016 Truck Route Sub-Committee meeting, was approved, as presented.

(d) NOTICE OF MOTIONS (Added Item 10)

Councillor B. Johnson introduced the following Notice of Motion:

Traffic By-law No. 01-125, Amendment Respecting Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway (Added Item 10.1)

WHEREAS, the Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway extension is expected to be completed in September 2016; and,

WHEREAS, it is required to make an amendment to Schedule 27 to permit heavy trucks to access this roadway;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That Traffic By-Law 01-215, Schedule 27, be amended to add the Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway between Stone Church Road and Rymal Road.

(B. Johnson/Partridge)

That the Rules of Order be waived to allow for the introduction of a Motion respecting Traffic By-Law 01-215, Schedule 27, be amended to add the Upper Red Hill Valley Parkway between Stone Church Road and Rymal Road.

For disposition of this matter, please refer to Item 3.

(e) GENERAL INFORMATION/OTHER BUSINESS (Item 11)

(i) Amendments to the Outstanding Business List (Item 11.1)

The following amendments to the Truck Route Sub-Committee's Outstanding Business List, were approved:

- (a) Items to be removed:
 - (i) Item "B" Project to remove the Specified User By-law from White Church Road, Binbrook Road between Upper James and Regional Road 56 (Project is completed)
 - (ii) Item "G" Westover Road Truck Route (Project is completed)

(f) ADJOURNMENT (Item 13)

(Pearson/B. Johnson)

There being no further business, the Truck Route Sub-Committee, adjourned at 9:59 a.m.

CARRIED

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor R. Pasuta, Chair Truck Route Sub-Committee

Judy Sheppard Legislative Coordinator Office of the City Clerk