

CITY OF HAMILTON

MOTION

Council: November 27, 2019

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR T. JACKSON.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR S. MERULLA.....

Amendment to Item 19 of the General Issues Committee Report 15-025, respecting Report PW15086 - Identified Tobogganing Locations on City Property for the Winter 2015/2016 Season

WHEREAS, in 2017, Council approved the operating funds for the permanent tobogganing program within the Public Works Department and formalized four designated tobogganing hills; with one of the approved sites being the Martin Course Hole #10 at Chedoke Golf Course;

WHEREAS, Recreation staff have extended the opportunity to play golf at Chedoke Golf Course for the winter months, with a daily decision to open or close the golf course dependent on the evidence of unfavourable weather conditions and more specifically the accumulation of snow;

WHEREAS, Golf staff have deemed that the Martin Course is more appropriate for winter golfing, and as the Martin Course, Hole #10 is currently designated as an approved tobogganing hill, to implement winter golfing, staff are recommending moving the tobogganing hill to the Beddoe Course, Hole #1;

WHEREAS, moving the tobogganing hill at Chedoke Golf Course from the Martin Course, Hole #10 to the Beddoe Course, Hole #1 is not a significant change and from a participant perspective, and provides the same amount of enjoyment; and,

WHEREAS, the required site materials, established inspection plans and operational processes for the tobogganing program will not change with the movement to the Beddoe course; and, an on-site review of both locations by Recreation, Parks and Risk Management staff did not yield any concerns with the proposed change;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That Item 19 of the General Issues Committee Report 15-025, respecting Report PW15086 - Identified Tobogganing Locations on City Property for the Winter 2015/2016 Season, which was approved by Council on December 8, 2015, be amended by

deleting the word "Martin" and replacing it with the word "**Beddoe**"; and, by deleting the number "10" and replacing it with the number "**1**", to read as follows:

19. Identified Tobogganing Locations on City Property for the Winter 2015/2016 Season (PW15086) (City Wide) (Item 8.15)

- (a) That the General Manager of Public Works or his designate be authorized and directed to implement a pilot program to identify tobogganing sites for the 2015-2016 season, whereas the Garth Street Reservoir, Kings Forest Golf Course (Hole #1 - Tee and Hole #9 - below the Green), and the Chedoke Golf Course (~~Martin~~ **Beddoe** Course, Hole #1) as further described will be the piloted sites;
- (b) That \$64,400 from the Tax Stabilization Reserve #110046 be utilized in preparing and inspecting the Garth Street Reservoir, Kings Forest Golf Course (Hole #1 - Tee and Hole #9 - below the Green), and the Chedoke Golf Course (~~Martin~~ **Beddoe** Course, Hole #1) as tobogganing sites for the pilot program within the 2015- 2016 winter season; and,
- (c) That staff be directed to review the feasibility of preparing Waterdown Memorial Park as a tobogganing site for January of the 2015/2016 Winter season and report back to the General Issues Committee as soon as possible.