

CITY OF HAMILTON

MOTION

PLANNING COMMITTEE

DATE: February 2, 2021

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR C. COLLINS.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR

City Ambassadors on the Waterfront Trail

WHEREAS, the use of the Waterfront Trail has become popular with out of town cyclists many of whom are travelling at unsafe speeds, creating daily safety concerns for other trail users; and,

WHEREAS, the use of e-bikes, e-scooters and other electric powered devices are increasingly used on the waterfront trail, contrary to the City's by-law, and,

WHEREAS, Licensing and By-law Services has previously hired summer students to act as Waterfront Trail Ambassadors as part of a pilot program in 2020 to educate the public and enforce City By-laws; and,

WHEREAS, the Waterfront Trail Ambassador program was considered a success and well received by trail users and Beach Neighbourhood residents,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That Licensing and By-law Services be directed to hire two summer students to act as City Ambassadors on the Waterfront Trail for the months of May through August at a cost of approximately \$27,522 to be funded by the Hamilton Beach Reserve Account 108037.