Added Item 12.2

CITY OF HAMILTON

NOTICE OF MOTION

Public Works Committee: November 1, 2021

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR J. FARR.....

Addressing Traffic Speed and Volume on Harbourfront Drive

WHEREAS, the enjoyment of Bayfront Park by residents across the City has noticeably increased during COVID which has resulted in an increased demand for parking despite Council's dedication to and implementation of dedicated cycling infrastructure and pedestrian trails to this destination; and,

WHEREAS, residents have expressed concerns that auto traffic on the winding Harbourfront Drive (descending into and out of the main park area) is increasing in both volume and speeds with the 20km limit increasingly not adhered to;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That staff from Hamilton Street Railway be requested to explore expanding bus service into the lower park and report back to Public Works before the end of Q2, 2022; and,
- (b) That Transportation Operations be requested to explore options using a Vision Zero lens on Harbourfront Drive with the objective of further enabling appropriate vehicle speed limit compliance and enhancing the safety and comfort of vulnerable road users and report back in Q1, 2022.