

CITY OF HAMILTON

MOTION

Public Works Committee: August 10, 2022

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR E. PAULS.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR

Community Safety and Complete Streets Report (Ward 1)

WHEREAS, the Ward 1 Office has requested a review of designated neighbourhoods with a focus on Traffic Calming Initiatives at problem locations and to provide a guideline for safety enhancements given the road width, classification, surrounding land use, proximity to schools/playgrounds, access roads from arterials, on-street parking and other considerations;

WHEREAS, Vision Zero principles are used in the City of Hamilton to provide a safer environment for all road users;

WHEREAS, the City of Hamilton has introduced the Complete Streets Manual to guide staff in their approach in considering the needs of road users of all ages and abilities and building streets that meet their needs, whether they are walking, cycling, taking transit, driving a private automobile, or delivering goods; and,

WHEREAS, staff do not have the internal resources to provide a comprehensive report of all designated neighbourhoods in Ward 1.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That staff be authorized and directed to retain a consultant to undertake a review of designated Ward 1 neighbourhoods with the intent of providing a Complete Streets report identifying areas of concerns and recommendations to provide a safer environment for all road users based on Vision Zero and Complete Streets principles, to be funded from the Ward 1 Special Capital Re-investment (#108051) at an upset limit, including contingency, not to exceed \$150,000 as per the Purchasing Policy for Roster Assignments; and
- (b) That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute any required agreement(s) and ancillary documents, with such terms and conditions in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.