CITY OF HAMILTON

NOTICE OF MOTION

Public Works Committee: August 10, 2022

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR J.P. DANKO.....

Replacement of Churchill Park Stairs, 145 Cline Avenue, Hamilton and Extension of Sidewalk on Kipling Road to the Park Stairs (Ward 1)

WHEREAS, the park stairs at Kipling Road and Parkside Drive providing access to Churchill Park, 145 Cline Avenue, were in disrepair and removed for health and safety reasons;

WHEREAS, there is not an easy access point for residents at this side of the park to connect to the upper tier of the park;

WHEREAS, the sidewalk on Kipling Road stops at the last house on Kipling Road and did not connect pedestrians to the stairs;

WHEREAS, Churchill Park is a destination for passive recreation including walking, particularly during the COVID-19 Pandemic;

WHEREAS, the Churchill Park Master Plan was approved in 2014 and staff have been implementing the park upgrades in phases, with another phase being designed in 2022; and

WHEREAS, there are currently insufficient funds to replace the stairs.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That the replacement of the stairs at Churchill Park, 145 Cline Avenue, at Kipling Road, and the extension of the sidewalk on Kipling Road to connect to the park stairs be funded from the Ward 1 Special Capital Re-Investment Reserve (108051) at an upset limit of, including contingency, not to exceed \$180,000, be approved; 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.