

5TH REPORT OF THE
TREES AND FORESTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting held on August 26, 2015, commencing at 12:15 PM, in Committee Room #4, Second Floor, London City Hall.

PRESENT: R. Mannella (Chair), A. Cantel, P. Ciufo, J. Kogelheide, C. Linton, G. Mitchell and J. Martin (Secretary).

ABSENT: A. Adgria, C. Haindl and I. Kalsi.

ALSO PRESENT: I. Listar and S. Rowland.

I. CALL TO ORDER

1. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

Recommendation: That it BE NOTED that no pecuniary interests were disclosed.

II. SCHEDULED ITEMS

2. Land Development in London

Recommendation: That additional discussion with respect to land development in London BE DEFERRED to the next meeting of the Cycling Advisory Committee; it being noted that the presentation with respect to this matter from C. Linton, was received.

III. CONSENT ITEMS

3. 4th Report of the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee

Recommendation: That it BE NOTED that the 4th Report of the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee, from its meeting held on April 22, 2015, was received.

4. Municipal Council resolution adopted at its meeting held March 31, 2015, with respect to the Appointments to the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee

Recommendation: That it BE NOTED that the Municipal Council resolution adopted at its meeting held on March 31, 2015, with respect to the appointments to the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee for the term ending February 28, 2019, was received.

5. Urban Design Guidelines

Recommendation: That the following actions be taken with respect to the Urban Design Guidelines:

- a) the Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to consider the attached comments; and,
- b) the Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to provide responses to the questions posed by the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee with respect to the Urban Design Manual.

6. 2014 Annual Report - Reforest London

Recommendation: That it BE NOTED that a communication dated June 1, 2015, from D. Sheppard Executive Director, ReForest London, with respect to the 2014 Annual Report from Reforest London, was received.

IV. SUB-COMMITTEES & WORKING GROUPS

7. Climate Change/Allergens/Invasives Working Group

Recommendation: That it BE NOTED that the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee received a verbal update from A. Cantell, with respect to the Climate Change/Allergens/Invasives Working Group.

V. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

8. City of London Planting Strategy

Recommendation: That Civic Administration and the Planning and Environment Committee BE REQUESTED to consider the ~~attached~~ comments from the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee with respect to the City of London Planting Strategy.

9. City of London Tree Canopy Cover Reassessment Project Status

Recommendation: That it BE NOTED that the ~~attached~~ presentation from S. Rowlands, Urban Forestry Planner, with respect to the status of the City of London Tree Canopy Cover Reassessment Project, was received.

VI. DEFERRED MATTERS/ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

None.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 1:55 PM.

NEXT MEETING DATE: September 23, 2015