

5TH REPORT OF THE
CYCLING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting held on April 19, 2017, commencing at 4:06 PM, in Committee Room #4, Second Floor, London City Hall.

PRESENT: D. Mitchell (Chair), D. Doroshenko, J. Jordan, H. Ketelaars, W. Pol, D. Szoller and M. Zunti and J. Martin (Secretary).

ALSO PRESENT: J. Bruin, C. Forsythe, D. MacRae, B. McCall and G. Stang.

I. CALL TO ORDER

1. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

That it BE NOTED that no pecuniary interests were disclosed.

II. SCHEDULED ITEMS

None.

III. CONSENT ITEMS

2. 4th Report of the Cycling Advisory Committee

That it BE NOTED that the 4th Report of the Cycling Advisory Committee, from its meeting held March 15, 2017, was received.

3. Commissioners Road Realignment Class EA Study

That it BE NOTED that the attached Notice dated March 14, 2017, from S. Keen, Project Manager, CIMA, with respect to the Commissioners Road Realignment Class EA Study Public Information Centre, was received.

4. Kiwanis Park Recreational Pathway Connection over CNR: - Trafalgar Street to East of Laurentian Drive

That it BE NOTED that a Notice from A. Spahiu, Project Manager, City of London and T. Fediw, Project Manager, AECOM Canada Ltd, with respect to the Kiwanis Park Recreational Pathway Connection over CNR - Trafalgar Street to East of Laurentian Drive Public Information Centre, was received.

IV. SUB-COMMITTEES & WORKING GROUPS

None.

V. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

5. Canada 150 Bike Tour London Update

That it BE NOTED that W. Pol provided an update advising the Cycling Advisory Committee that the plans with respect to the Canada 150 Bike Tour London are progressing; it being noted that a presentation from Fanshawe College students assisting with the preparation with respect to this matter will be provided at the May meeting.

6. Trans Canada Trail Update

That it BE NOTED that the Cycling Advisory Committee (CAC) held a general discussion and referred the matter of reviewing and submitting comments on the Draft Province-wide Cycling Network to the Environmental Registry to a working group; it being noted that a verbal update from D. MacRae, Division Manager, Transportation Planning and Design and a communication dated April 13, 2017, from D. Soshycki, Sustainable and Innovative Transportation Office, Ministry of

Transportation with respect to the Trans Canada Trail and the Province-Wide Network of Cycling Routes in Ontario, was received.

7. Federal Active Transportation Strategy

That the Municipal Council, in collaboration with the Cycling Advisory Committee, BE REQUESTED to consider providing its support, in principle, to the Federal Active Transportation Strategy; it being noted that a communication dated April 13, 2017, from J. Varga-Toth, Canada Bikes, J. Hilland, the National Active and Safe Routes to School Working Group and C. Maynes, Canada Walks (Green Communities Canada) was received with respect to this matter.

8. Gathering on the Green

That it BE NOTED that a communication with respect to the Gathering on the Green to be held on June 3, 2017, was received.

9. 2017 Cycling Advisory Committee Work Plan

That the attached 2017 Cycling Advisory Committee Work Plan BE FORWARDED to the Municipal Council for consideration.

10. 2016 Cycling Advisory Committee Work Plan Summary

That it BE NOTED that the 2016 Cycling Advisory Committee (CAC) Work Plan Summary be referred to the chair for completion and submission was deferred until the next meeting of the CAC.

VI. DEFERRED MATTERS/ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

None.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:45 PM.

NEXT MEETING DATE: May 17, 2017

Cycling Advisory Committee Work Plan – 2017

Date, April 19, 2017

Activity	Background	Responsibility	Proposed Timeline	Proposed Budget	Strategic Plan Alignment
Assist the City in enhancing cycling connections throughout the City to the Provincial cycling network.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be provided through Cycling Master Plan, EA input. 	CAC	2017		Strengthening Our Community – 5.1; Building a Sustainable City – 1.a, 2.a, 5.b
Provide recommendations for better integration of the recreational and commuter cycling networks.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be provided through Cycling Master Plan, EA input. • Research what London needs to be able to provide sound recommendations on cycling. 	CAC	2017		Strengthening Our Community – 5.1; Building a Sustainable City – 1.a, 2.a, 5.b
Promote safe cycling through education and improved facilities and infrastructure.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need to support / initiate City, business and other community partner initiatives relating to mapping, bicycle parking, cycling lanes, etc. • Promotional Outreach for Cycling • Promotion of the Cycling Master Plan 	CAC	2017		Strengthening Our Community – 5.1; Building a Sustainable City – 1.a, 2.a, 5.b
Provide input and recommendations to Environmental Assessments relating to road and cycling infrastructure to assist in managing and upgrading transportation infrastructure.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EA's provide a primary opportunity to ensure cycling priorities are taken into consideration for new roadworks and infrastructure projects. 	CAC	2017		Strengthening Our Community – 5.1; Building a Sustainable City – 1.a, 2.a, 5.b
Provide recommendations on operational requirements / improvements which will facilitate cycling.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operational priorities (i.e. – street cleaning, snow plowing) need to be established and/or coordinated to ensure key cycling routes are maintained appropriately and that operational activities are not 'out of sync' (i.e. – cleaning streets before sidewalks, then putting all the sand from the sidewalks onto the street & cycling lanes that had just been cleaned....) 	CAC	2017		Strengthening Our Community – 5.1; Building a Sustainable City – 1.a, 2.a, 5.b
Continue to identify / assess specific routes (to be mapped and signed) for key destinations and loops.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to support cycling infrastructure at the municipal, provincial and federal levels. • Monitor implementation of initiatives identified in the cycling master plan including potential stand-alone initiatives. 	CAC	2017		Strengthening Our Community – 5.1; Building a Sustainable City – 1.a, 2.a, 5.b
Educational Initiatives and Recognition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Educational Opportunities • Cycling based Conferences • Cycling Awards 	CAC	2017		

Promote a Cycling Culture in the City of London	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Establishment of an event to promote a cycling culture connected to the 150 celebrations and with the intent to make it an annual event.• Work with the educational institutes to assist in building the cycling culture,	CAC	2017		
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Motion by Wil seconded Diane -