

5TH REPORT OF THE
ANIMAL WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting held on June 7, 2012 commencing at 4:10 p.m.

PRESENT: E. Gerrow (Chair), M. Blosch, D. Fortney, D. Harris, L. Jackson, W. MacKay, A. Papmehl, S. C. Rans, B. Sayler, M. Shepherd, V. VanLinden, B. Warder, M. Warder and J. Martin, Secretary.

ALSO PRESENT: H. McNeely and R. Oke.

I YOUR COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS:

Private Members
Bill 69 1. (5) That the Mayor **BE REQUESTED** to write a letter of support to the Honourable L. Berardinetti, MPP, with respect to Bill 69, *Elephant Protection Act 2012*.

II YOUR COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ReThink London 2. That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) received a presentation from A. McNeely, Senior Planner, with respect to ReThink London; it being noted that the AWAC members were encouraged to participate in the program by submitting comments to the Chair for compilation and review at a future meeting.

Palm Springs
Animal Shelter 3. That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) received a presentation from M. Warder and B. Warder, AWAC, with respect to the Palm Springs Animal Shelter.

Wildlife Sub-
committee 4. (C) That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) received a verbal update and a presentation from D. Harris and S. Rans, on behalf of the Wildlife Sub-committee in response to the Stanton Drain and Hyde Park SWM Facility 4 – Scoped Environmental Impact Study as recommended by the City Engineer's Office January 25, 2012. The AWAC will request delegation status at a future Civic Works Committee meeting to submit their presentation.

No Kill Initiatives 5. (6) That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) received a verbal update from M. Shepherd, with respect to the No Kill Initiatives.

Under One Woof 6. (8) That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) reviewed and received a communication dated Spring 2012, from Dana Sheahan, Principal West Credit Secondary School, Mississauga, Ontario, and heard a verbal update from M. Shepherd, AWAC with respect to the "Under One Woof" program.

Deferred Matters 7. That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) deferred consideration of the following items to a future AWAC meeting:

- (a) (2) Animal Control By-Law – Limitation of Pets per Household;
- (b) (3) Animal Control By-Law – Ban of Retail Outlet Sale of Companion Animals;
- (c) (4) RedRover Responders Workshop; and,
- (d) (7) Ear Tipping.

8. That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) received and noted the following:

4th Report of the
AWAC (a) (1) the 4th Report of the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee from its meeting held on May 3, 2012; and,

Bear Wise
Program

(b) (9) a communication dated May 3, 2012, from D. O'Toole, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Natural Resources, with respect to the Bear Wise Program.

Next Meeting

9. That the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee will tentatively hold its next meeting on July 5 at 4:00 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.