COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - SEPTEMBER 18, 2006

REQUEST FOR STAFF TO INSTALL A STOP SIGN AT GENOA ROAD AND MADEIRA AVENUE

Recommendation

Councillor Peter Meffe recommends:

That staff be directed to install a stop sign at Genoa Road and Madeira Avenue.

Economic Impact

Nil.

Purpose

The purpose of this recommendation is to deter drivers from driving at excessive speeds along Genoa Road.

Background - Analysis and Options

This intersection is a 'tee" design and there is an existing stop sign (westbound) located on Madeira Avenue. The residents have expressed their concern on the excessive speed of vehicles traveling along Genoa Road and wish to have all way stop controls in place. Madeira Avenue has a large number of young children that play outside and there is a concern that they may run out onto Genoa Road. If all way stop controls are in place it would reduce the speed of the cars travelling along Genoa thereby reducing the possibility of accidents in this area.

Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2007

This report is consistent with the priorities previously set by Council and the necessary resources have been allocated and approved.

Conclusion

It is my feeling that this is a reasonable request and it would be in the City's best interests to have this all way stop control installed.

Attachments

None.

Report prepared by:

Respectfully submitted,

Peter Meffe, Councillor, Ward 1