COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING - NOVEMBER 4, 2002

VELLORE WOODS PUBLIC SCHOOL SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS – SECONDARY REVIEW

Recommendation

The Commissioner of Engineering and Public Works recommends:

That school crossing guards be relocated at the following locations:

- 1. Vellore Woods Public School
 - From Vellore Woods Boulevard/Hawstone Road intersection (south side)
 - To Starling Boulevard/Fox Hound Crescent intersection (north side); and
- 2. Vellore Woods Public School
 - From Hawstone Road/Tern Drive intersection (east side)
 - To Ashberry Boulevard/Fox Hound Crescent intersection (east side)

<u>Purpose</u>

To review the approved school crossing guard locations for Vellore Woods Public School, which opened in October 2002.

Background - Analysis and Options

Engineering staff conducted preliminary site reviews to determine appropriate school crossing guard locations as outlined in the Council approved report dated June 24, 2002. Vellore Woods Public School was scheduled to open in November 2002 but opened ahead of schedule on October 7, 2002.

As a result of the initial review, it was recommended that two new school crossing guard locations be implemented for Vellore Woods Public School. However, Engineering Staff were provided with the location of another school that will be opening in the future, and as a result, the initial crossing guard locations were not appropriate for this school.

Engineering staff conducted a secondary review at Vellore Woods Public School in October 2002. As a result, it is recommended that the two proposed crossing guard locations be relocated to the new locations as indicated in the recommendation of the report. See Attachment No. 1 for the location of the recommended changes by staff.

Conclusion

It is recommended that two school crossing guards be relocated to the locations specified in the recommendation to aid children walking to and from Vellore Woods Public School.

Attachments

1. Location Map

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