

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – NOVEMBER 18, 2002

VENETO DRIVE AND STARVIEW GATE PROPOSED ALLWAY STOP CONTROL

Recommendation

Regional Councillor Rosati recommends:

That Item 14, Report No. 67, Committee of the Whole, which was adopted at the Council meeting of October 15, 2002, be reconsidered; and

That an allway stop control be installed at the intersection of Veneto Drive and Starview Gate.

Purpose

To request reconsideration of Item 14, Report No. 67, Committee of the Whole.

Background – Analysis and Options

A copy of the Council Extract regarding this matter is attached.

Conclusion

In order to address the safety concerns expressed by the residents of Veneto Drive, it is recommended that an allway stop control be installed at the intersection of Veneto Drive and Starview Gate.

Attachments

1. Council Extract, Item 14, Report No. 67, Committee of the Whole
2. Location Map
3. Residents Petition (Mayor and Members of Council only)

Respectfully submitted,

Regional Councillor Gino Rosati

CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF OCTOBER 15, 2002

Item 14, Report No. 67, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on October 15, 2002.

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**VENETO DRIVE AND STARVIEW GATE
PROPOSED ALLWAY STOP CONTROL**

The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following report of the Commissioner of Engineering and Public Works, dated October 7, 2002:

Recommendation

The Commissioner of Engineering and Public Works recommends:

That an allway stop control not be installed at the intersection of Veneto Drive and Starview Gate.

Purpose

A petition was received from the residents of Veneto Drive to review the feasibility of implementing an allway stop control at the intersection of Veneto Drive and Starview Gate.

Background - Analysis and Options

The residents on Veneto Drive have expressed concerns regarding excessive vehicle speeds on the roadway and the safety of children. The residents have suggested the implementation of an allway stop control at the subject intersection to improve safety for the children.

Veneto Drive is a residential local road with a posted speed limit of 40 km/hr. Traffic is local in nature and consists almost entirely of residents who are familiar with the neighbourhood.

Staff conducted a traffic count at the intersection of Veneto Drive and Starview Gate on September 17, 2002 during the morning and evening peak travel periods. The times counted were 7:30 am to 9:00 am and 3:00 pm to 5:30 pm. The traffic volumes at the intersection are low. Based on the traffic study, only 21 percent of the Provincial allway stop control warrant is met.

There are no sight distance restrictions noted at the intersection. Staff reviewed the vehicle collision history at the intersection and there are no reported vehicle collisions.

Conclusion

It is recommended that an allway stop control not be installed at the intersection of Veneto Drive and Starview Gate.

Attachments

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Report prepared by

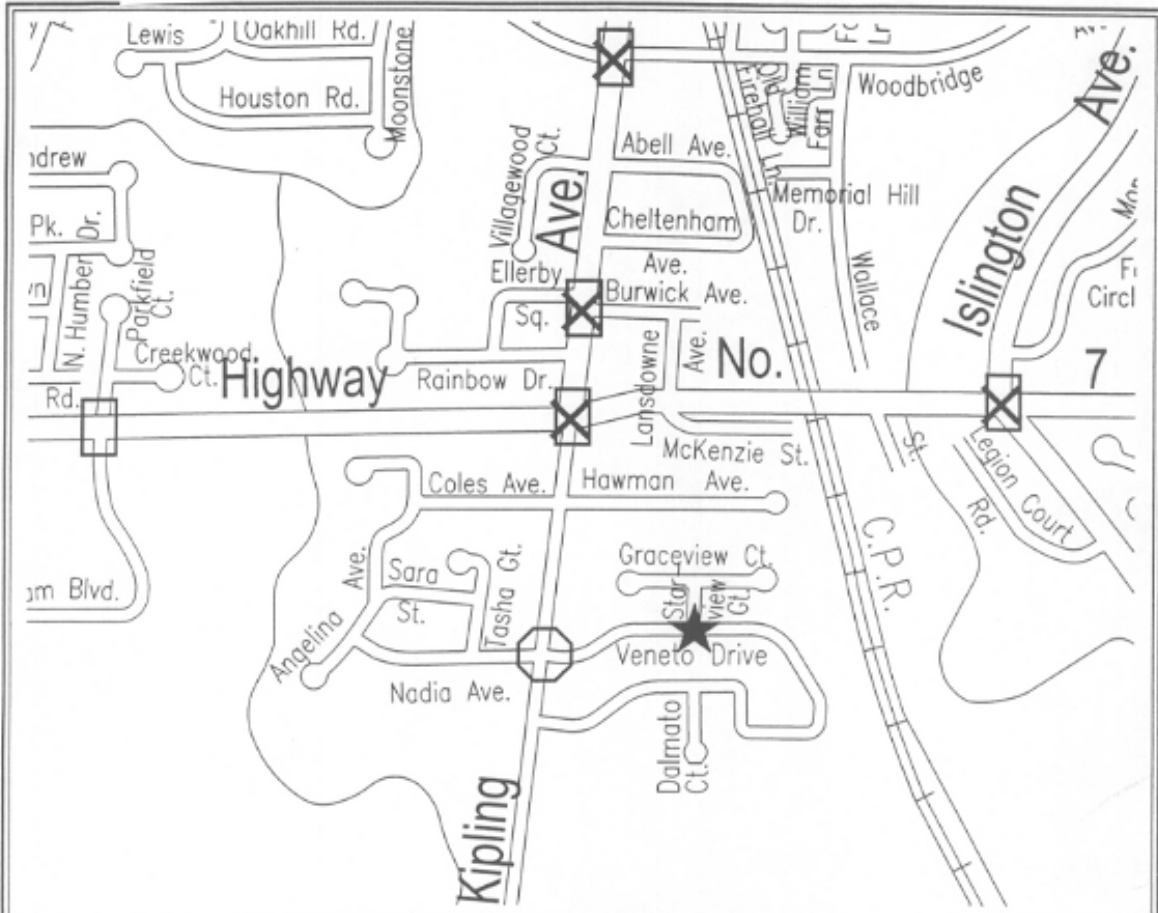
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
(A copy of the attachments referred to in the foregoing have been forwarded to each Member of Council and a copy thereof is also on file in the office of the City Clerk.)

ATTACHMENT No. 2



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LEGEND

-  INTERSECTION UNDER REVIEW
-  EXISTING TRAFFIC SIGNALS
-  EXISTING ADULT SUPERVISED SCHOOLCROSSING
-  EXISTING ALLWAY STOP CONTROL



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