

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE DECEMBER 8, 2003

ENTRY WAY FEATURE PROJECT – CONCORD

Recommendation

Regional Councillor Joyce Frustaglio recommends:

That in the 2004 Capital Budget, funding be made available to cover the cost of entryway features for four entrances in Concord;

- Southview Drive and Jardin Drive
- Keele Street and Rockview Gardens Avenue
- Hillside Avenue and Highway 7
- Baldwin Avenue and Highway 7

Purpose

The purpose of this request is to ensure that the work is carried out in the Spring of 2004.

Background - Analysis and Options

The community in question is a small residential area surrounded by commercial and industrial development and major highways, all of this is compounded by horrific traffic congestion and air pollution. This community feels neglected and wants some quality improvements to beautify their subdivision.

During the recent municipal election campaign the Concord West Ratepayers' Association held a public "All Candidates Meeting" where promises were made and agreed to by a number of Councillors presently elected, that this community deserved to have some of the beautification funds allocated for its' improvement.

Conclusion

I believe the approval of this recommendation would send a positive message to the residents of this area and bring out the pride these people feel to be part of this community.

Respectfully submitted,

Joyce Frustaglio

Regional Councillor