# **CITY OF VAUGHAN**

# **REPORT NO. 54 OF THE**

# COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (WORKING SESSION)

For consideration by the Council of the City of Vaughan on June 28, 2004

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) met at 10:24 a.m., on June 15, 2004.

Present:

Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco, Chair Mayor Michael Di Biase Regional Councillor Mario F. Ferri Regional Councillor Linda D. Jackson Regional Councillor Joyce Frustaglio Councillor Bernie Di Vona

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) passed the following resolution:

That the Rules of Procedure with respect to start time be waived to permit the meeting to commence at 10:24 a.m.

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) resolved into Committee of the Whole (Closed Session) for the purpose of discussing a matter relating to the security of property of the City or local board, with respect to Item 1, SPORTS VILLAGE COMPLEX – RUTHERFORD ROAD, FEASIBILITY OF TWO ADDITIONAL HOCKEY RINKS. The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) reconvened into open session at 10:53 a.m., with all members present.

The following items were dealt with:

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### SPORTS VILLAGE COMPLEX – RUTHERFORD ROAD

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

- 1) That the recommendation contained in the confidential report of the Commissioner of Community Services, dated June 15, 2004, be approved; and
- 2) That any issues regarding this matter be resolved in consultation with the Ward 1 and 4 Sub-Committees, prior to staff bringing forward a comprehensive report, as soon as possible, to a Committee of the Whole (Working Session) meeting.

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### STEELES AVENUE CORRIDOR LAND USE REVIEW FILE NO. OPA 620

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

- 1) That the recommendation contained in the following report of the Commissioner of Planning, dated June 15, 2004, be approved;
- 2) That staff provide a further report addressing Members of Council's comments; and
- 3) That the presentation by Mr. George Dark, Partner, Urban Strategies Inc., 257 Adelaide Street West, Suite 500, Toronto, M5H 1X9, and the presentation material submitted, be received.

#### **Recommendation**

The Commissioner of Planning recommends:

- 1. THAT the presentation by Urban Strategies Inc. on the final results of the Steeles Avenue Corridor Land Use Review BE RECEIVED;
- 2. THAT subsequent to input from the Technical Advisory Committee and any necessary changes to the draft report, a statutory Public Hearing be scheduled in the fall; and,
- 3. THAT Staff consult with the landowners in the amendment area to discuss the final results of the study, and provide a summary of this consultation in the Public Hearing report.

### DRAFT REGIONAL OFFICIAL PLAN AMENDMENT NUMBER 43 CENTRES AND CORRIDORS <u>REQUEST FOR COMMENTS</u>

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following report of the Commissioner of Planning, dated June 15, 2004:

#### **Recommendation**

The Commissioner of Planning recommends:

THAT this report BE FORWARDED to the Region of York requesting that Regional Official Plan Amendment (ROPA) Number 43 not be adopted until the City of Vaughan has responded through adoption of a report this fall taking into consideration the City's position and/or Official Plan Amendments resulting from the Highway 7 Policy Review, the Steeles Avenue Corridor Land Use Review, the Centre Street Study, and the Thornhill Yonge Street Study.

#### 4 PROPOSED PROTOCOL FOR RESPONDING TO CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESSED TO <u>"MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF COUNCIL"</u>

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

1) That clause 1 contained in the following report of Regional Councillor Jackson, dated June 15, 2004, be approved;

- 2) That regionally related enquiries be responded to by the appropriate Local and Regional Councillor and/or the Mayor, who sits on the appropriate Region of York committee, i.e. Transit, Solid Waste Management; and
- 3) That a further report reviewing the process relating to correspondence addressed to the Mayor and Members of Council, be brought forward to a Committee of the Whole (Working Session) in the Fall.

#### **Recommendation**

Local and Regional Councillor Linda Jackson recommends that the following protocol be adopted to deal with correspondence addressed to "Mayor and Members of Council":

- 1. That municipally related enquiries be responded to by the appropriate Ward Councillor, and
- 2. That regionally related enquiries be responded to by the Local and Regional Councillor who sits on the appropriate Region of York committee, i.e. Transit, Solid Waste Management.

## 5 <u>SIGN ENFORCEMENT INITIATIVE</u>

#### The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

- 1) That this matter be referred to staff for a report; and
- 2) That the following report of Councillor Yeung Racco, dated June 15, 2004, be received.

#### **Recommendation**

Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco recommends:

- 1. That the City of Vaughan Bylaw Department research the feasibility of implementing a sign enforcement initiative, whereby an annual deposit is collected from all persons and business requesting the installation of signs in the City of Vaughan; and
- 2. That the City of Vaughan Bylaw Department report back to a future Committee of the Whole with a report.

## PHOTO RADAR PILOT PROJECT

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

- 1) That clause 2 contained in the following report of Councillor Yeung Racco, dated June 15, 2004, be approved; and
- 2) That the Bylaw Department, in conjunction with the Local MPP's, if possible, approach the Minister of Transportation to discuss the feasibility of implementing a photo enforcement pilot project that would allow for the enforcement of traffic violations on municipal roads.

#### **Recommendation**

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Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco recommends:

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- 1. That the Bylaw Department approach the Minister of Transportation to discuss the feasibility of implementing a photo radar pilot project that would allow for the enforcement of traffic violations on municipal roads; and
- 2. That the City of Vaughan Bylaw Department report back to a future Committee of the Whole with a report.

### PROMENADE PARK – NAME CHANGE

The Committee of the Whole (Working Session) recommends:

- 1) That this matter be referred to a future Committee of the Whole meeting; and
- 2) That staff be directed to provide appropriate notification to area residents regarding the proposed name change.

#### **Recommendation**

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Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco recommends:

1. That the name of Promenade Park be changed to Pierre Elliott Trudeau Park and that this name change be submitted for approval.

The meeting adjourned at 12:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco, Chair