February 28, 2013

Bruce McCuaig, President & CEO
Metrolinx
20 Bay Street, Suite 600
Toronto, ON M5J 2W3

Dear Mr. McCuaig:

At its meeting of February 27, 2013, City Council approved Item 1 of General Issues Committee Report 13-006 which reads as follows:

1. **Rapid Ready – Expanding Mobility Choices in Hamilton (PW13014) (City Wide) (Item 5.1)**

   (a) That Report PW13014 be submitted, including Appendix A, “Rapid Ready - Expanding Mobility Choices in Hamilton (January 2013)”, as the City of Hamilton’s submission to Metrolinx in accordance with the Contribution Agreement between the City and Metrolinx, with the understanding that the funding requirements for Hamilton’s public transportation program are as follows:

      (i) 100% capital and any upset net operating levy impact for Light Rail Transit;

      (ii) Growth funding for the overall public transportation program, as summarized on Pages 43 and 44 of Appendix A to Report PW03014 (refer to Investment Plan Tab), necessary to support a successful Light Rail Transit system.

   (b) That the Work Plan detailed in the Appendix A to Report PW03014 be used as the basis for future budget submissions.

   (c) That the correspondence requesting the reimbursement of the total funding allocated by the City of Hamilton to the transit initiative sent to John Howe, Vice President Investment Strategy & Project Evaluation Metrolinx from Don Hull, Director of Transportation on May 3, 2012, as directed by Council on October 26, 2011, Item 1 of General Issues Committee Report 11-030, be resubmitted with a request that Metrolinx provide a formal response.
(d) That the Medical Officer of Health be directed to consult with Health Care Institutions to obtain their input on Hamilton Specific Health Impacts for purposes of supporting the City’s Public Transportation Program as outlined in Report PW13014.

Attached is a copy of Report PW13014 for your consideration.

Yours truly,

Andy Grozelle,
Legislative Co-ordinator
Office of the City Clerk

File C13-006
February 29, 2013

Mr. John Howe  
Vice President, Investment Strategy  
& Project Evaluation, Metrolinx  
20 Bay Street, Suite 600  
Toronto, ON M5J 2W3

Dear Mr. Howe:

At its meeting of February 27, 2013, City Council approved Item 1 of General Issues Committee Report 13-006 which reads as follows:

1. **Rapid Ready – Expanding Mobility Choices in Hamilton (PW13014) (City Wide) (Item 5.1)**

   (a) That Report PW13014 be submitted, including Appendix A, “Rapid Ready - Expanding Mobility Choices in Hamilton (January 2013)”, as the City of Hamilton’s submission to Metrolinx in accordance with the Contribution Agreement between the City and Metrolinx, with the understanding that the funding requirements for Hamilton’s public transportation program are as follows:

   (i) 100% capital and any upset net operating levy impact for Light Rail Transit;

   (ii) Growth funding for the overall public transportation program, as summarized on Pages 43 and 44 of Appendix A to Report PW03014 (refer to Investment Plan Tab), necessary to support a successful Light Rail Transit system.

   (b) That the Work Plan detailed in the Appendix A to Report PW03014 be used as the basis for future budget submissions.

   (c) That the correspondence requesting the reimbursement of the total funding allocated by the City of Hamilton to the transit initiative sent to John Howe, Vice President Investment Strategy & Project Evaluation Metrolinx from Don Hull, Director of Transportation on May 3, 2012, as directed by Council on October 26, 2011, Item 1 of General Issues Committee Report 11-030, be resubmitted with a request that Metrolinx provide a formal response.
(d) That the Medical Officer of Health be directed to consult with Health Care Institutions to obtain their input on Hamilton Specific Health Impacts for purposes of supporting the City’s Public Transportation Program as outlined in Report PW13014.

Attached is a copy of Report PW13014 for your consideration and the letter sent by Don Hull, Director of Transportation on May 3, 2012.

Yours truly,

Andy Grozelle,
Legislative Co-ordinator
Office of the City Clerk

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