



Location:	Tom Davies Square
Commencement:	4:06 PM
Adjournment:	5:17 PM

Minutes

**For the Operations Committee Meeting held
Monday, April 3, 2017**

Present	Councillor Kirwan, In the Chair
City Officials	Councillors Dutrisac, Kirwan, Lapierre, Reynolds [A 4:07 p.m.] Tony Cecutti, General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure; Nick Benkovich, Director of Water/Wastewater; David Shelsted, Director of Roads and Transportation; Brigitte Sobush, Manager, Clerk's Services/Deputy City Clerk

Declarations of Pecuniary Interests and the general nature thereof

None declared

Correspondence for Information Only

- C-1 . W/WW Standard of Care Information Update
Report dated February 13, 2017 from the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure regarding W/WW Standard of Care Information Update.
For information only.
- C-2 . Winter Control Operations Update for December 2016
Report dated March 17, 2017 from the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure regarding Winter Control Operations Update for December 2016.
For information only.
- C-3 . Winter Control Operations Update February 2017
Report dated March 17, 2017 from the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure regarding Winter Control Operations Update February 2017.
For information only.

Addendum

No Addendum was presented.

Civic Petitions

No Civic Petitions were submitted.

Question Period and Announcements

Line Painting

Councillor Reynolds asked if they could find a new product for line painting that would be more cost effective and will not require that the lines be painted annually. Further Councillor Reynolds asked if an oil based paint could be used.

Tony Cecutti, General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure stated that the solvents that are in the paint and allow rapid drying and last longer are no longer allowed due the potential hazard to workers. He further stated that they are aware of the issue with the longevity of the paint but the options of the materials that are available are limited. He stated that they continue to share best practices with other municipalities. However they have a more significant volume of line painting and it is difficult to compare.

David Shelsted, Director of Roads and Transportation stated that there are different paints that the City has tried. He stated that thermal plastics don't always work in highly used areas as the paint wears faster. He also stated that some of the paints are higher in price and cost a lot more per intersection. They are continuing to do pilot projects to see what products are working well and that are cost effective.

Councillor Reynolds asked if Mr. Shelsted could look to see what product the Durham Region is using.

David Shelsted, Director of Roads and Transportation stated that they will look into it and email the Committee.

Councillor Dutrisac asked how do they decide which roads get done first.

David Shelsted, Director of Roads and Transportation stated they usually start with high volume roadways followed by reports from the section supervisor indicating priority. He also stated that they prioritize by area as well.

Street Sweeping

Councillor Reynolds asked when street sweeping is expected to start.

David Shelsted, Director of Roads and Transportation stated weather permitting, the contractors will arrive mid to end of April. The city will do some sweeping before they arrive, however, the snow needs to melt and the temperature in the evening must stay above zero.

Notices of Motion

No Notices of Motion were presented.

Adjournment

Dutrisac/Lapierre: THAT this meeting does now adjourn. Time: 5:17 p.m.

Brigitte Sobush, Deputy City Clerk