



CITY OF VANCOUVER

REPORT TO COUNCIL

STANDING COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL ON TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC

JUNE 10, 2008

A Regular Meeting of the Standing Committee of Council on Transportation and Traffic was held on Tuesday, June 10, 2008, at 9:30 a.m., in the Council Chamber, Third Floor, City Hall.

PRESENT: Councillor B.C. Lee, Chair
Mayor Sam Sullivan
Councillor Suzanne Anton
Councillor Kim Capri
Councillor George Chow
Councillor Peter Ladner
Councillor Raymond Louie

ABSENT: Councillor Elizabeth Ball (Sick Leave)
Councillor David Cadman (Leave of Absence - Civic Business)
Councillor Heather Deal (Leave of Absence - Civic Business)
Councillor Tim Stevenson (Leave of Absence - Civic Business)

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE: James Ridge, Deputy City Manager

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE: Diane M. Clairmont, Meeting Coordinator

1. **Bicycle Advisory Committee - Annual Report for the Year 2007** May 21, 2008
(VanRIMS No.: 08-3000-11)

The Chair and Vice-Chair of the Bicycle Advisory Committee reviewed the report and along with Engineering staff responded to questions.

MOVED by Councillor Anton
THAT the Committee recommend to Council

THAT the Other Report *Bicycle Advisory Committee Annual Report for the Year 2007* be received by Council for information (and inspiration!) in the context of:

- Council's acceptance in principle of a cycling mode share target of 10% by 2010, and thereafter working toward higher mode share levels similar to those of many European cities,
- the Eco Density initiative,
- our ever-increasing awareness of, and concern about, global warming, and
- the health of our citizens and of our environment.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

2. **Modifications to 5th Avenue between Yukon Street and Cambie Street** May 27, 2008

(VanRIMS No.: 13-500-20)

Engineering staff reviewed the report and along with a representative from the Vancouver Police Department, responded to questions.

The Committee heard from 1 speaker who spoke in opposition (brief submitted - on file).

MOVED by Councillor Anton

THAT the Committee recommend to Council

THAT 5TH Avenue between Yukon Street and Cambie Street be converted to one-way westbound operation for motor vehicle traffic, with two-way cycling and back-in angle parking along the south side of the street.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

The Committee adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

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REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES STANDING COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL ON TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC

JUNE 10, 2008

A Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Vancouver was held on Tuesday, June 10, 2008, at 11:00 a.m., in the Council Chamber, Third Floor, City Hall, following the Standing Committee on Transportation and Traffic meeting, to consider the recommendations and actions of the Committee.

PRESENT: Mayor Sam Sullivan
Councillor Suzanne Anton
Councillor Kim Capri
Councillor George Chow
Councillor Peter Ladner
Councillor B.C. Lee
Councillor Raymond Louie

ABSENT: Councillor Elizabeth Ball
Councillor David Cadman (Leave of Absence - Civic Business)
Councillor Heather Deal (Leave of Absence - Civic Business)
Councillor Tim Stevenson (Leave of Absence - Civic Business)

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

MOVED by Councillor Anton
SECONDED by Councillor Chow

THAT this Council resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, Mayor Sullivan in the Chair.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report of Standing Committee on Transportation and Traffic June 10, 2008

Council considered the report containing the recommendations and actions taken by the Standing Committee on Transportation and Traffic. Its items of business included:

1. Bicycle Advisory Committee - Annual Report for the year 2007
2. Modifications to 5th Avenue between Yukon Street and Cambie Street

Items 1 and 2

MOVED by Councillor Ladner

THAT the recommendations and actions taken by the Standing Committee on Transportation and Traffic at its meeting of June 10, 2008, as contained in items 1 and 2, be approved.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

RISE FROM COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

MOVED by Councillor Capri

THAT the Committee of the Whole rise and report.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

ADOPT REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

MOVED by Councillor Louie
SECONDED by Councillor Lee

THAT the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

The Council adjourned at 11:01 a.m.

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