

Moved by Councillor Brenner
Seconded by Councillor Ashe

1. That the Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) between the City of Pickering and the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (“TRCA”) (Attachment No. 1) be approved, subject to: (i) obtaining the necessary approvals of the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks; and (ii) minor revisions satisfactory to the Director, Corporate Services & City Solicitor, the Director, Engineering Services and the Chief Administrative Officer;
2. That the Chief Administrative Officer be authorized to execute the MOU;
3. That, as contemplated by the MOU, City staff be directed to negotiate agreements of purchase and sale for the acquisition of: (i) the lands municipally known as 501 Marksbury Road from Zoltan and Barbara Szinessy and (ii) the lands municipally known as 520 West Shore Boulevard from Marshall Homes (Copperfield) Ltd., and that those agreements of purchase and sale be subject to further Council approval;
4. That, as contemplated by the MOU, City staff be directed to: (i) determine, in collaboration with TRCA, the dimensions of the lands not required for the waterfront trail and (ii) negotiate an agreement, subject to further Council approval, to sell those lands for an amount equal to their fair market value;
5. That the Director, Finance & Treasurer be authorized to finance the total net project costs of \$2,728,011.00 by a transfer from the Parkland Reserve Fund; and,
6. That the appropriate City of Pickering officials be authorized to take the actions necessary to implement the recommendations in this report.

Carried Unanimously on a Recorded Vote

- 11.12 Director, City Development & CBO, Report PLN 32-21
Lease Agreement – Mr. Delicious Cakes and Pastries Inc.
- Temporary Patio Program – use of City owned lands

Members of Council briefly discussed the hours of operation of the establishment, including last call being at 9:00 p.m. in accordance with the AGCO rules, and how By-law Services staff will address noise complaints.

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Brian Duffield, (Acting) Director, Community Services, advised that there are many facets to consider prior to enabling livestream on community cameras, including bandwidth and privacy matters.

15.2 Councillor Pickles raised the matter of pest clearance on construction sites and requested City Development staff look into municipal best practices regarding pest clearance on vacant lands and construction sites and provide a report back to Council at a later date.

15.3 Councillor Brenner raised the matter of the milfoil weeds in Frenchman's Bay, and the status of the removal as it poses concerns for boaters, commercial, and recreational users. Richard Holborn, Director Engineering Services, advised an application had been submitted to the Federal Government outlining the urgency of the situation for all users to remove the vegetation. He confirmed email exchanges had taken place regarding the status of the application and next steps, and that a biologist would be assigned to the project in due course.

Councillor Brenner advised of different options to strengthen the urgency of the application, such as reaching out to the Federal Government representative. Councillor Brenner sought clarification on the contracted services with Ontario Power Generation Dive team regarding the matter, with Brian Duffield noting that the Dive team is prepared to help with the exercise of weed removal.

15.4 Councillor Butt raised the matter of the invasive European Gypsy Moths that have impacted trees and inquired about what action is being taken to protect the trees. Mr. Holborn spoke to mitigation efforts, such as wrapping tree trunks in burlap to contain the pests and spraying in the West area of Pickering. He further noted that staff have created a data base to indicate where boulevard trees will be affected and have allocated funds to formulate a comprehensive approach to manage infestation. Mr. Holborn stated staff at the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority and Rouge National Urban Park are aware of the issue, and that staff continue to help residents who call the City about this matter.

16. Confirmation By-law

By-law Number 7865/21

Councillor McLean, seconded by Councillor Pickles moved for leave to introduce a By-law of the City of Pickering to confirm the proceedings of June 28, 2021.

Carried

17. Adjournment

Moved by Councillor Cumming
Seconded by Councillor Butt

That the meeting be adjourned.

Carried

The meeting adjourned at 12:03 a.m.

Dated this 28th of June, 2021.

David Ryan, Mayor

Susan Cassel, City Clerk