

# TORONTO TRANSIT COMMISSION REPORT NO.

**MEETING DATE:** January 21, 2009

**SUBJECT:** OUTSTANDING COMMISSION ITEMS

## **INFORMATION ITEM**

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Commission receive for information, the updated list of outstanding Commission items for the period up to and including the meeting of December 17, 2008.

### **DISCUSSION**

The attached list provides information on the status of reports requested by the Commission and will be submitted every three months.

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**COMMISSION - OUTSTANDING ITEMS**

<b>MEETING DATE</b>	<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>REQUESTED ACTION</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
June 22, 2005 (Deputations)	Transit Priority on Spadina, Harbourfront and St. Clair	Vice-Chair Chow moved the following:  1. That staff be requested to take the necessary action to implement transit priority signalling on Spadina by September 2005 at all locations where it is not already active, with a report back in the Fall of 2006 on the impact.  2. That recommendations 2 to 6 embodied in Mr. Munro's submission be forwarded to TTC staff and City Transportation staff, with a joint report back to the fall meetings of the TTC and Planning and Transportation Committee.  Referred to R. Cornacchia.	Report to be forwarded to Commission at its meeting on April 27, 2009.
November 28, 2005 (Correspondence)	Designated Seating Policy to Include Pregnant Women	Chair Moscoe moved that the Commission refer Ms. Wilfred's communication to staff for report back at a future meeting.  Referred to V. Rodo.	Memorandum to be forwarded to Commissioners in March 2009.
February 27, 2007 (New Business)	Bicycle Lockers at TTC Stations - Chair Giambrone	The Commission referred the communication to staff for report, in consultation with City of Toronto cycling and transportation services staff, on providing locations on the system for the installation of bike lockers.  Referred to R. Cornacchia.	Deferred. City Pedestrian and Cycling Infrastructure cannot provide a firm answer on the future of the program.
March 21, 2007 (New Business)	Vice-Chair Joe Mihevc Re "Implementation of TTC's Affinity Plan"	The Commission referred the communication to staff for report on the status of the implementation of the Affinity Plan, with such report to include information regarding consultation discussions with the Mayor's office and the Sierra Club of Canada.  Referred to V. Rodo.	Report to be forwarded to Commission during 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2009.
July 11, 2007 (New Business)	Data Collection and Analysis – Vice-Chair Mihevc	The Commission referred the communication to staff for report.  Referred to R. Cornacchia.	Memorandum to be forwarded to Commissioners in April 2009.
July 11, 2007 (New Business)	TTC Marketing Campaign Pilot Program – Vice-Chair Mihevc	The Commission referred the communication to staff for report.  Referred to V. Rodo.	Memorandum to be forwarded to Commissioners in March 2009.
May 21, 2008 (New Business)	Trolley Bus Use on Toronto's Most Heavily Used Routes – Chair Giambrone	Chair Giambrone submitted a communication dated May 14, 2008 requesting that staff investigate and report on the cost effectiveness, environmental benefits and operational impacts of re-establishing trolley buses on some of Toronto's busiest (non Transit City) routes.  Referred to R. Cornacchia.	Report to be submitted to Commission at its meeting on February 18, 2009.
June 18, 2008	Costs and Benefits of a New RT Station at Brimley Road	Commissioner De Baeremaeker moved that the Commission defer this report until its September 2008 meeting, and that TTC and City of Toronto staff be requested to submit a further report at that time on the feasibility of building a Brimley Road LRT station.  Referred to R. Cornacchia.	Waiting for City of Toronto to finalize their portion of the report.

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August 27, 2008	Procurement Authorization Amendment – Option to Purchase 120 Forty-Foot Hybrid Low Floor City Buses	<p>Vice-Chair Mihevc moved that staff be requested to report back to the Commission on the status of the bus fleet and future purchases.</p> <p>Vice-Chair Mihevc moved that staff be requested to explore the possibility of establishing a policy encouraging Canadian content of 50% for bus procurements.</p> <p>Referred to R. Cornacchia.</p>	<p>Letter dated January 9, 2009 forwarded to bus companies.</p> <p>Copy forwarded to Commissioners.</p>
November 26, 2008	Community Concerns on St. Albans Road	<p>Commissioner Milczyn moved the following motions:</p> <p>That the commission receive the staff report.</p> <p>That staff enforce the city’s three minute idling by-law.</p> <p>That staff investigate the possibility of using the Westwood Theatre site for bus layovers.</p> <p>That staff report back to the April 2009 commission meeting on the success of these efforts and ongoing complaints received from area residents.</p> <p>Referred to R. Cornacchia.</p>	<p>Report to be submitted to Commission at its meeting on April 27, 2009.</p>
November 26, 2008	Express Bus Service	<p>Chair Giambrone moved that the matter embodied in the sixth bullet of recommendation No.2 be referred back to staff for a more comprehensive report in December 2008 or January 2009.</p> <p>Chair Giambrone moved that the matter embodied in the seventh bullet of recommendation No. 2 be referred back to staff for report as part of the Transit City Bus plan.</p> <p>Commissioner Saundercook moved that staff be requested report back on the feasibility of reinstating the express service on Finch Avenue that was in place prior to February 2008.</p> <p>Vice-Chair Mihevc moved that Councillor Rae’s communication dated November 25, 2008, concerning increased service on the 141 downtown express route be referred to staff for appropriate review.</p> <p>Referred to R. Cornacchia.</p>	<p>Express bus proposals and other related work will be contained in the Transit City Bus Plan report which will be submitted to Commission at its meeting on April 3, 2009.</p>