

Item 14



Notice of Motion

Improving Accessibility Connections

Moved by: Vice-Chair Heisey

Seconded by: Commissioner De Laurentiis

Summary

At the present time TTC designs and builds in accordance with the Ontario Building Code and the TTC's own design standards, with input from the Advisory Committee on Accessible Transit (ACAT). The consultation process with ACAT has led to the installation of some specialized accessibility features throughout the system, including most recently side-control panels in elevators.

In order to achieve consistency in accessibility with adjacent developments and adjoining transit infrastructure it is advisable that TTC staff review the current policy governing these connections with a view to achieving a higher level of uniformity through the Board approval process.

Recommendation

1. Revise TTC's Entrance Connections policy to provide for consistency in accessible paths and the provision of accessible features involving all future private and public development connection agreements, including interchange stations to conform to TTC's own design standards for accessibility in elevators.

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