

Minutes – CRBA Public Meeting

February 3, 2015 – 7 to 9 p.m.
Little Trinity Church– 425 King East

Meeting Start Time: 7 p.m.

Adjourned At: 9 p.m.

Attendees

CRBA Board Present:

Sandra Iskandar (SI), Kara Isert (KI), Arthur Sinclair (AS), Matt Elliott (ME), Peter Coish (PC), Larry Webb (LW) - Past President, ex-officio

CRBA Board Regrets:

Mike Kapil (MK), Alex Bartlett (AB)

Public Attendance:

Approximately 30

Minutes

Opening Remarks

- KI welcomed everyone to the meeting and attendees provided brief introductions. The format for the AGM was explained.

Presentation: King-Sumach Intersection

- Representatives from the City of Toronto Transportation Department and Cycling Department provided an overview of last summer's changes to the intersection at King Street East and Sumach Street.
- The intersection is unique in Toronto as it needs to allow streetcars to turn into the new transit right-of-way on Sumach/Cherry.
- Turn restrictions are in place, and the stopping location for northbound traffic on Sumach is located far back from the intersection to allow for eventual turning streetcars. (Cherry streetcar service will not start until 2016.)
- Residents provided feedback on the intersection.
 - Concerns about short signal phase for northbound traffic, resulting in back-ups.
 - Cyclist safety through the intersection is a major concern, with streetcar tracks a hazard.
 - General safety is an issue for all users, due to unique/complicated nature of intersection.
- City staff are monitoring the intersection. The CRBA has also expressed that there is a need for a full review of traffic regulations/operation in Corktown due to the growing population and the number of new streets that have opened.

President's Annual Report

- KI provided an overview of the CRBA's activities in 2014. See attached presentation file.

Procedural Motions

- On a motion moved and carried, James Kelly of Kelly Porter Héту was appointed as the CRBA's accounting professional for 2015.
- On a motion moved and carried, the CRBA Board for 2014 was dissolved in accordance with bylaws, in advance of the election of the 2015 Board.


Elections

- Per bylaw, the CRBA must have at least three Business members and three Residential Members, with a maximum of ten board members total.
- The following candidates expressed an interest in serving on the Board in 2015:
 - Peter Coish (Resident)
 - Michele Cummings (Resident)
 - Matt Elliott (Resident)
 - Kara Isert (Resident)
 - Sandra Iskandar (Resident)
 - Brian Palić (Resident)
 - Alim Rhemtulla (Resident)
 - Wendee Smith (Resident)
 - Socrates Apallas (Business)
 - Thomas Junek (Business)
 - Tadeo Sanchez (Business)
- Each candidate was given an opportunity to address attendees and state their reasons for seeking election to the board.
- Following a balloting process, the 2015 Board was confirmed as:
 - Peter Coish (Resident)
 - Michele Cummings (Resident)
 - Matt Elliott (Resident)
 - Kara Isert (Resident)
 - Sandra Iskandar (Resident)
 - Brian Palić (Resident)
 - Alim Rhemtulla (Resident)
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