Minute No. 394
Report – Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works – May 5, 2015

Item No. 2 Results of the Proposed Watermain and Wastewater Sewer Local Improvement Projects – February 9, 2015 Advertisement

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works and adopted the following:

1. That the following Local Improvement Projects not proceed as part of the 2015 Local Improvement Program which is funded through the Local Improvement Float, namely:

Project Number	***Local Improvement***	***Location***
1420060115	Watermain	In Ravelston Avenue West from the west property line of Roll Number 04005594500 to Peguis Street.
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2. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Lukes,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 13, 2015, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 5, 2015, the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works concurred in the recommendation of the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On April 20, 2015, the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Public Service and recommended to the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works

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Lillian Petrasko submitted a communication dated April 7, 2015.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Title: RESULTS OF THE PROPOSED WATERMAIN AND WASTEWATER SEWER LOCAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS – FEBRUARY 9, 2015 ADVERTISEMENT

Critical Path: East Kildonan - Transcona Community Committee – Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works – Executive Policy Committee - Council

AUTHORIZATION

Author	Department Head	CFO	CAO
Tim Austin	Mel Chambers	Mike Ruta	

RECOMMENDATIONS

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REASON FOR THE REPORT

Since this proposed Local Improvement Project is within the East Kildonan - Transcona Community and Ward boundary, the East Kildonan - Transcona Community Committee is requested to specifically review and authorize the Administration on whether these Local Improvement Projects should proceed.

IMPLICATIONS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS

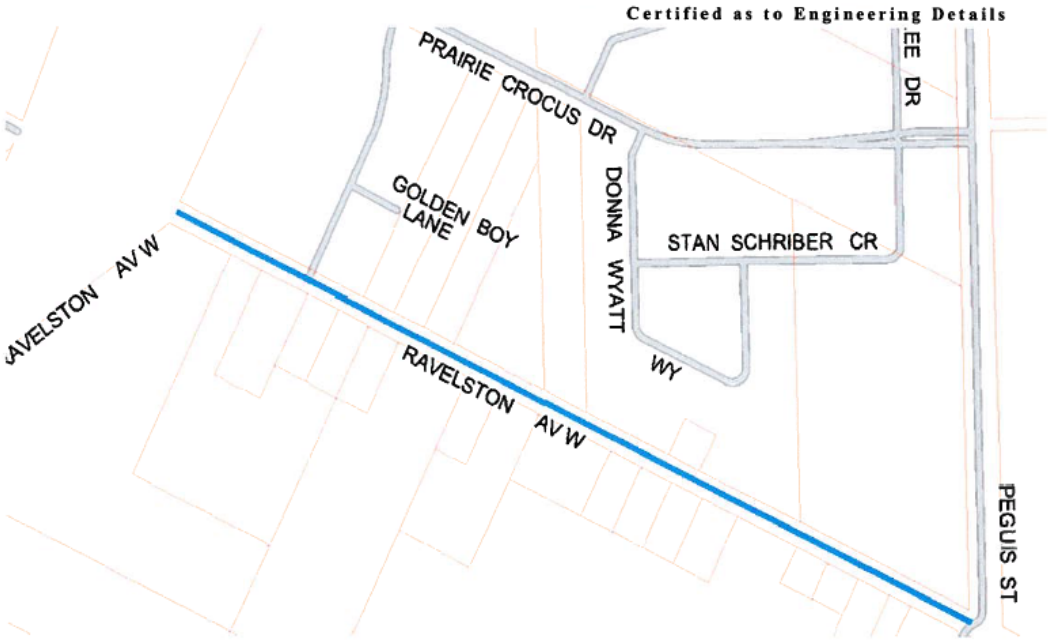
There is no financial impact to the City of Winnipeg as an organization as the proposed local improvement projects received sufficient amount of objections to defeat the projects. As the proposed local improvements have been defeated Waterside Development will be responsible for the cost of installation of these improvements if they wish to proceed.

HISTORY

Project 1420060115 – Watermain

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The City Clerk's Department received the signed *"Notice of Objection"* on March 11, 2015.

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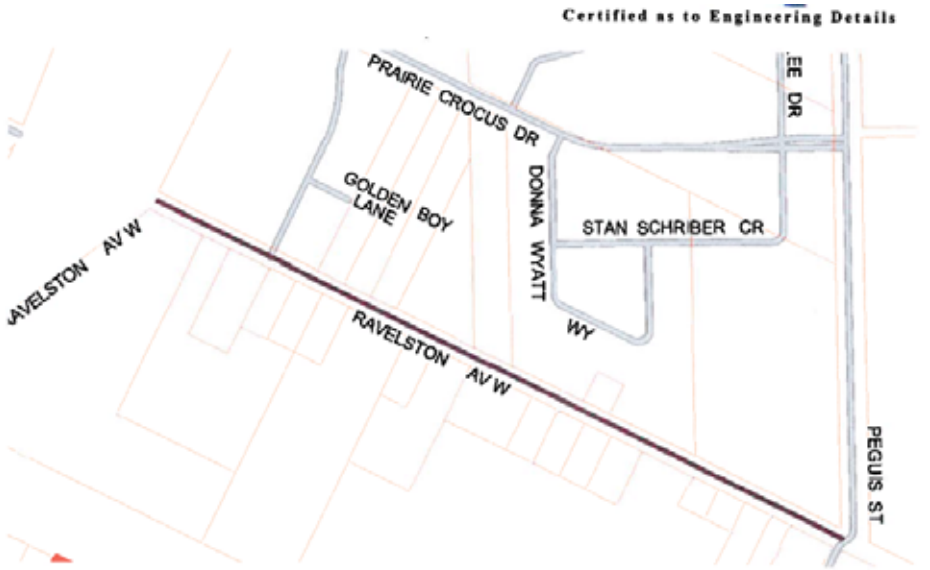
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FINANCIAL IMPACT

Financial Impact Statement **Date:** April 9, 2015

Project Name:

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COMMENTS:

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Original Signed By:
Ramona Hodges
Manager of Finance (Campus)
Corporate Finance Department

CONSULTATION

In preparing this report there was consultation with:

Internal

External

SUBMITTED BY

Department: Assessment and Taxation
Division: Taxation and Finance
Prepared by: Tim Austin, Manager of Taxation and Finance Services
Date: April 9, 2015
File No. N/A