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Item No. 5 Access Advisory Committee – Empress Street and Overpass Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Study

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE DECISION:

The Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Access Advisory Committee and directed the Winnipeg Public Service to investigate and ensure that accessibility is built into the Empress Street and Overpass Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Study.

DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Morantz,

That the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to investigate and ensure that accessibility is built into the Empress Street and Overpass Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Study.

Carried

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On June 27, 2017, the Access Advisory Committee passed the following resolution:

WHEREAS the Empress Street and Overpass Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Study project consultation has led to the Access Advisory Committee's concern that an accessible route will not be designed into the project;

AND WHEREAS the consultant has indicated that creating an accessible route will prevent the project from moving forward;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Executive Policy Committee direct the Winnipeg Public Service to investigate and ensure that accessibility is built into the Empress Street and Overpass Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Study.