Minute No. 275
Report – Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works – April 21, 2020

Item No. 1 Car Share Pilot Program

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 Winnipeg Public Service be directed to delay the implementation of the one-year carshare parking pilot project until social distancing restrictions within the City of Winnipeg are drastically reduced or removed.

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 Allard,

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

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On April 28, 2020, 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 April 21, 2020, the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works submitted the following to the Executive Policy Committee and Council:

1. That the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to delay the implementation of the one-year carshare parking pilot project until social distancing restrictions within the City of Winnipeg are drastically reduced or removed.

2. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

David Grant submitted a communication dated April 20, 2020, with respect to the matter.

COUNCIL DECISION:

On March 21, 2020, Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works and adopted the following:

1. That a carshare parking pilot project be implemented for a one year period, commencing within two months following approval of this recommendation.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COUNCIL DECISION (continued):

2. That enforcement of section 12 of the Winnipeg Parking By-law (time limited parking) and section 14 (paid parking) be suspended for the six designated parking spaces attached as Appendices A and B, allowing permitted carshare vehicles to remain in their on-street reserved parking location for an unlimited amount of time with no requirement to pay for parking (where applicable), providing the following conditions are met:

    A. a pilot project parking permit has been issued by the Winnipeg Parking Authority, and

    B. all other parking regulations are adhered to.

3. That upon completion of the pilot project, a separate report be submitted to Standing Committee, within 120 days, to present results of the pilot project and to identify any required longer-term changes to City of Winnipeg By-laws, policies, and procedures.

4. That the Public Service continue to investigate ‘curbside management’ through such efforts as the Transportation Master Plan, the On-Street Parking Strategy, and this pilot project; and

5. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.