

Minutes – Council – May 28, 2026

Minute No. 317

Report – Standing Policy Committee on Public Works – May 5, 2026

Item No. 5 Left Turn Signal on Grant Avenue at Haney Street (Charleswood-Tuxedo-Westwood Ward)

COUNCIL DECISION:

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

1. That the installation of a sensor-activated left turn signal for traffic turning southbound onto Haney Street from Grant Avenue be approved.
2. That the following eligibility criteria for the Land Dedication Reserve Fund be waived in this instance, namely:
 - A. Funds may be utilized for:
 - i. the acquisition of land for parks or recreation facilities;
 - ii. the development of properties for parks and recreation purposes including such ancillary equipment and structures as may be necessary to that development;
 - iii. the construction or renovation of recreation facilities on parks and recreation properties.
 - B. The expenditures of Reserve funds will be limited by the following exclusions for use. Specifically, funds will not be utilized for:
 - i. Acquisition of equipment not directly related to the development or renovation of parks properties;
 - C. The use of funds will result in the creation or continuation of a physical legacy of parks and recreation facilities for the citizens of the City of Winnipeg.
3. That funding to a maximum of \$5,000.00, from the Assiniboia Land Dedication Reserve (Charleswood-Tuxedo-Westwood Ward allocation), be approved to the City of Winnipeg to assist with the cost of the Left Turn Signal on Grant Avenue at Haney Street Project, subject to the following condition:
 - A. Approval of final plans and specifications for the project by the City of Winnipeg.

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COUNCIL DECISION (continued):

- B. That all eligibility criteria for the Land Dedication Reserve Fund be waived in this instance, and that any remaining funds be returned to the Charleswood-Tuxedo-Westwood Ward allocation of the Land Dedication Reserve Fund.
- 4. 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 Public Works be adopted.

Carried

Councillor Mayes was absent from the vote on the above motion.

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 19, 2026, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Public Works and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 5, 2026, the Standing Policy Committee on Public Works concurred in the recommendation of the Assiniboia Community Committee and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On April 14, 2026, the Assiniboia Community Committee passed the following motion:

WHEREAS the intersection of Grant Avenue and Haney Street is controlled by traffic signals;

AND WHEREAS traffic traveling westbound on Grant Avenue may turn left onto Haney Street to proceed southbound;

AND WHEREAS motorists traveling westbound on Grant Avenue experience delays and difficulty turning left onto Haney Street due to high traffic volumes and limited gaps in eastbound opposing traffic;

AND WHEREAS significant volumes of traffic traveling eastbound on Grant Avenue from the William R. Clement Parkway further limit opportunities for westbound motorists to safely turn south onto Haney Street, particularly during peak traffic periods;

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

AND WHEREAS the installation of a sensor-activated left turn signal for westbound traffic on Grant Avenue turning south onto Haney Street may improve traffic flow and enhance safety at this intersection;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following be recommended to the Standing Policy Committee on Public Works:

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

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 - A. Approval of final plans and specifications for the project by the City of Winnipeg.
 - B. That all eligibility criteria for the Land Dedication Reserve Fund be waived in this instance, and that any remaining funds be returned to the Charleswood-Tuxedo-Westwood Ward allocation of the Land Dedication Reserve Fund.
4. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.