THE SIXTY-SECOND MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY

C-11 Thursday, November 27th, 2003 Tom Davies Square Commencement: 6:30 p.m.

DEPUTY MAYOR PETRYNA, IN THE CHAIR

<u>Present</u> Councillors Bradley; Courtemanche; Craig; Davey; Dupuis; Lalonde;

McIntaggart; Portelance

<u>City Officials</u> M. Mieto, Chief Administrative Officer; D. Wuksinic, General

Manager, Corporate Services; R. Swiddle, Director of Legal Services/City Solicitor; H. Salter, Deputy City Solicitor; T. Mowry,

City Clerk; CJ Caporale, Council Secretary

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

None.

"In Camera" 2003-567 Bradley-Dupuis: That we move "In Camera" to deal with

a litigation matter in accordance with Article 15.5 of the City of Greater Sudbury Procedure By-law 2002-202 and the Municipal Act,

2001, s.239(2)(f).

CARRIED

Recess At 6:32 p.m., Council recessed.

Reconvene At 7:00 p.m., Council moved to the **Council Chamber** to continue

the regular meeting.

Chair HIS WORSHIP MAYOR JAMES GORDON, IN THE CHAIR

<u>Present</u> Councillors Bradley; Callaghan; Courtemanche; Craig; Davey;

Dupuis; Gainer; Lalonde; McIntaggart; Petryna; Portelance

City Officials M. Mieto, Chief Administrative Officer; D. Belisle, General Manager

of Public Works; C. Hallsworth, General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services; D. Nadorozny, General Manager of Economic Development & Planning Services; C. Matheson, General Manager of Health & Social Services; D. Wuksinic, General Manager, Corporate Services; T. Beadman, Acting General Manager, Emergency Services; R. Swiddle, Director of Legal Services/City Solicitor; S. Jonasson, Director of Finance/City Treasurer; H. Salter, Deputy City Solicitor; T. Mowry, City Clerk; K. Bowschar-Lische, Planning Committee Secretary; CJ Caporale, Council Secretary

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Channel 10 News; Sudbury Star; Le Voyageur; Northern Life;

EZ Rock: MCTV

News Media

None.

DELEGATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

Item 4 Music and Film in Motion Letter dated 2003-11-06 from Music and Film in Motion regarding an Update on the Activities of Music and Film in Motion within the City of Greater Sudbury was received.

Mr. Mark Palumbo, President, and Mr. Dennis Landry Executive Director, Music and Film in Motion (MFM) addressed Council regarding MFM's mandate for the year 2004 by focusing on four major components:

- Identifying the film and music industries in Northern Ontario including local artists, businesses, technicians, etc. and including them in a comprehensive database.
- Promoting workshops, mentoring, grant writing assistance, panel discussions, etc. which will enable the artists in local communities to grow in their field.
- ► The designing and creation of the Northern Ontario Music and Film Awards which was held in September 2003. Five hundred thirty (530) delegates from Canada and U.S.A. attended this event. This award is a promotional vehicle which has informed our community about the vast amount of talent in our region.
- Promoting Sudbury and Northern Ontario locations, facilities and artists to producers and businesses outside of our area which will help to create employment opportunities for our artists and local businesses.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE "IN CAMERA" SESSION

Rise and Report

Deputy Mayor Petryna, as Chair of the Committee of the Whole, reported Council met to deal with a litigation matter falling within Article 15.5 of the City of Greater Sudbury Procedural By-law 2002-202 and the Municipal Act, 2001, s.239(2)(f) and no resolution emanated therefrom.

PART I CONSENT AGENDA

Consent Agenda

The following resolution was presented to adopt Items C-1 to C-14 inclusive, contained in Part I, Consent Agenda:

2003-568 Portelance-Petryna: That Items C-1 to C-14 inclusive, contained in Part I, Consent Agenda, be adopted.

MINUTES

Item C-1 Report No. 61 City Council 2003-11-13	2003-569 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT Report No. 61, City Council Minutes of 2003-11-13 be adopted. CARRIED
Item C-2 Report No. 26 Priorities Committee 2003-11-26	2003-570 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT Report No. 26, Priorities Committee Minutes of 2003-11-26 be adopted. CARRIED
Item C-3 Report No. 27 Planning Committee 2003-11-25	2003-571 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT Report No. 27, Planning Committee Minutes of 2003-11-25 be adopted. CARRIED
Item C-4 Report No. 4 Property Standards Appeal Committee 2003-11-12	2003-572 Portelance-Petryna: THAT Report No. 4, Property Standards Appeal Committee of 2003-11-12 be received. CARRIED
Item C-5 Report No. 20 Sudbury Metro Centre 2003-09-30	2003-573 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT Report No. 20, Sudbury Metro Centre Minutes of 2003-09-30 be received. CARRIED
Item C-6 Report No. 7 S.D.H.U. 2003-09-18	2003-574 Portelance-Petryna: THAT Report No. 7, Sudbury & District Health Unit Minutes of 2003-09-18 be received. CARRIED
Item C-7 Report No. 8 S.D.H.U. 2003-10-16	2003-575 Portelance-Petryna: THAT Report No. 8, Sudbury & District Health Unit Minutes of 2003-10-16 be received. CARRIED
Item C-8 T.O.C. 2003-11-14	2003-576 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT the Report of the Tender Opening Committee Minutes of 2003-11-14 be received. CARRIED

ROUTINE MANAGEMENT REPORTS

Item C-9
Technical Steering
Committee (Waste
Optimization Study)
Recommendations

Report dated 2003-11-19 from the General Manager of Public Works regarding Recommendations from the Technical Steering Committee (Waste Optimization Study) was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-577 Petryna-McIntaggart: That the recommendations of the Technical Steering Committee detailed in the General Manager of Public Works report dated November 19, 2003 be approved; and

THAT staff prepare a follow-up report for the first Council meeting scheduled in 2004.

CARRIED

Item C-10
Purchasing By-law
Consequential
Amendments

Report dated 2003-11-18 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Purchasing By-law Consequential Amendments. was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-578 Portelance-Petryna: THAT the draft Property By-law 2003 be passed and adopted to come into force on January 1, 2004;

THAT the Delegation By-law be passed and adopted to come in to force on January 1, 2004;

THAT sections 16(2), 20 and 21 of By-law 2001-2, as amended, remain in force and effect effective January 1, 2004.

CARRIED

Item C-11 Rayside-Balfour Fitness Centre Report dated 2003-11-14 from the General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services regarding Rayside-Balfour Fitness Centre was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-579 Portelance-Petryna: WHEREAS the City of Greater Sudbury wishes to continue its partnership with the Rayside-Balfour Fitness Centre Volunteers; and

WHEREAS Rayside-Balfour Fitness Association has requested that a draw be made from the Rayside-Balfour Fitness Centre Reserve Fund for the purpose of making renovations to the Rayside-Balfour Fitness Centre and for the purchase of additional cardiovascular fitness equipment;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury authorize a \$34,484.75 draw from the Rayside-Balfour Fitness Centre Reserve Fund for the purposes of facility renovation and equipment acquisition.

Item C-12 Contract for the Procurement, Cataloguing and Processing of Library Materials Report dated 2003-11-13 from the General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services regarding Contract for the Procurement, Cataloguing and Processing of Library Materials was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-580 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT the current contract for the procurement, cataloguing and processing of English and French language materials between the City of Greater Sudbury and the Library Services Centre (LSC), which has an estimated value of \$80,000 per year, be extended for the years 2004, 2005 and 2006 with an option for further extension for the years 2007 and 2008.

CARRIED

Item C-13 Sudbury Community Arena Agreement with Molson Canada Report dated 2003-11-17 from the General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services regarding Sudbury Community Arena Agreement with Molson Canada was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-581 Portelance-Petryna: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury enter into an agreement with Molson Canada for the Best Seats in the House Promotion; and

FURTHER THAT the Delegation By-law be amended to delegate authority to staff to enter into similar promotional agreements at the Sudbury Community Arena.

CARRIED

Item C-14
Accessible
Transportation
Christmas & Other
Statutory Holidays

Report dated 2003-11-20, with attachments, from the General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services regarding Accessible Transportation Christmas and Other Statutory Holidays was received.

The General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services advised that the Handi-Transit will be operating at regular business hours and to call in advance for reservations in order to be included on the schedule.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-582 Portelance-Petryna: WHEREAS the City of Greater Sudbury wishes to facilitate travel on the Handi-Transit system on statutory holidays;

Item C-14 Accessible Transportation Christmas & Other Statutory Holidays (continued)

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

- THAT the Policy Paper on Transportation for Persons with Physical Disabilities and the Service Harmonization Model, Option A, as approved by Council on August 14th, 2001, be amended to improve Handi-Transit service in the commuter service areas by immediately implementing service on statutory holidays;
- 2. AND FURTHER THAT staff be directed to develop budget options as part of the 2004 budget process to further accelerate the harmonization of Handi-Transit service in the commuter areas.

CARRIED

BY-LAWS

2003-287A 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF NOVEMBER 27, 2003

2003-288 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY
TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF LAND IN THE
INDUSTRIAL PARK, WALDEN TO SANDVIK
TAMROCK CANADA INC.

Planning Committee meeting of November 25, 2003

2003-289Z 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 95-500Z, THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING BY-LAW OF THE FORMER CITY OF SUDBURY

Planning Committee Recommendation 2003-199

(This By-law revises the "C2-33", Special General Commercial zone with respect to the subject lands to permit a commercial dance studio and service trades as additional land uses within the "C2-33" zone - Henry Crocco Company Limited, 887 Notre Dame Avenue, Sudbury.)

2003-290T 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY
TO AMEND BY-LAW 2003-195T, BEING A BY-LAW
TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1 TO REGULATE
TRAFFIC AND PARKING ON ROADS IN THE CITY
OF GREATER SUDBURY

(This By-law corrects a typographical error in By-law 2003-195T.)

BY-LAWS (continued)

2003-291Z 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 95-500Z, THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING BY-LAW OF THE FORMER CITY OF SUDBURY

Planning Committee Recommendation 2003-504

(This By-law rezones the subject property to a revised General Commercial Special which deletes an automobile repair shop, an automobile service station and a recreational vehicle sales business as permitted uses and adds a commercial school, an office, an eat-in restaurant, a scientific or medical laboratory, a service trade and an automobile dealership to the uses permitted. 2752280 Canada Inc. (Agent: Robert Lefebvre), 1133 Notre Dame Avenue, Sudbury.)

2003-292Z 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 95-500Z, THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING BY-LAW OF THE FORMER CITY OF SUDBURY

Planning Committee Recommendation 2003-197

(This by-law rezones the subject property to Single Residential to permit an expansion to an existing draft approved subdivision plan. The subject property, being approximately 3.25 acres in size will accommodate 10 new lots and 8 part lots all for single residential use. Dalron Construction Limited, Part of Parcels 48646 and 50208 SES in Lots 4 and 5, Concession 6, Broder Township (Algonquin II) Trail Ridge to Mist Hollow.)

2003-293Z 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 95-500Z, THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING BY-LAW OF THE FORMER CITY OF SUDBURY

Planning Committee meeting of November 25, 2003

(This By-law rezones the driveway which provides access to 1361 Paris Street in order to correct a 1 metre encroachment onto the subject lands. Part of Parcel 7935, being Parts 2, 3, 4 & 5, Plan 53R-13342, in Lot 6, Concession 2, Township of McKim - Prime Properties/Dalron Construction.)

BY-LAWS (continued)

2003-294	3	A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBUI			
		GOVERNING PROCEDURES FOR THE			
		ACQUISITION AND SALE OF LAND			
		Depart dated 2002 44 40 from the Conserel Manager			

Report dated 2003-11-18 from the General Manager of Corporate Services.

2003-295 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY
TO DELEGATE SPECIFIC AUTHORITY TO CITY
OFFICIALS TO CARRY ON CERTAIN MATTERS
ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF GREATER
SUDBURY

Report dated 2003-11-18 from the General Manager of Corporate Services and report dated 2003-11-17 from the General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services.

2003-296 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY
TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUATION OF
CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF PURCHASING BY-LAW
2001-2

Report dated 2003-11-18 from the General Manager of Corporate Services.

2003-297 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY
TO ADOPT THE SHAREHOLDER DECLARATION
FOR THE GREATER SUDBURY UTILITIES INC.
AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES

(This By-law updates the size and composition of the Boards as directed by Council at its meeting of November 27, 2003.)

2003-298A 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AUTHORIZE AN AGREEMENT WITH MOLSON CANADA FOR THE BEST SEATS IN THE HOUSE PROMOTION

Report dated 2003-11-17 from the General Manager of Citizen and Leisure Services.

1st & 2nd Reading 2003-583 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT By-law 2003-287A to and including By-law 2003-298A be read a first and second time.

CARRIED

<u>3rd Reading</u> 2003-584 Portelance-Petryna: THAT By-law 2003-287A to and including By-law 2003-298A be read a third time and passed.

CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Item C-15 Sunset Review -Mayor and Council's Children First Roundtable Report dated 2003-11-18 from the General Manager of Health & Social Services regarding Sunset Review - Mayor and Council's Children First Roundtable was received.

Rules of Procedure

Council, by a two-thirds majority, agreed to dispense with the Rules of Procedure and deal with a motion, not on the Agenda, presented by Councillor Portelance.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-585 Portelance-Bradley: THAT we recommend to the new Council that the Mayor and Council's Children First Roundtable be reconstituted; and

THAT consideration be given to an increase in funding during the 2004 budget deliberations.

CARRIED

Item C-16 9-1-1 House Numbering Identification Program Report dated 2003-11-19 from the General Manager of Public Works regarding 9-1-1 House Numbering Identification Program was received.

The General Manager of Public Works advised Council that the green driveway markers are available to residents residing on private roads or within the City's limits at a cost of \$20.00 which includes taxes.

PART II REGULAR AGENDA

MANAGERS' REPORTS

Item R-1
Seed Funding for the
Development of
Sudbury & Area
Mining Supply &
Services Association

Report dated 2003-11-20, with attachments, from the General Manager of Economic Development & Planning Services regarding Seed Funding for the Development of Sudbury and Area Mining Supply and Services Association (SAMSSA) was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-586 Portelance-Petryna: WHEREAS the Greater Sudbury Development Corporation has approved support for one time seed funding for the Sudbury Area Mining & Supply Services Association (SAMSSA) in the amount of \$48,750;

Item R-1
Seed Funding for the
Development of
Sudbury & Area
Mining Supply &
Services Association
(continued)

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury support the above mentioned project with a contribution of \$24,375 (50%) from the 2003 Economic Development Capital Envelope; and

FURTHER THAT the balance of \$24,375 be referred to the new Council as part of the 2004 funding.

CARRIED

Item R-2
Development of a
Post Graduate
Diploma Program in
Science
Communications at
Laurentian University

Report dated 2003-11-20 from the General Manager of Economic Development & Planning Services regarding Development of a Post Graduate Diploma Program in Science Communications at Laurentian University was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2003-587 Portelance-Petryna: THAT the Greater Sudbury Development Corporation Board of Directors provide financial support for the start up costs of a Post Graduate Diploma program in Science Communications in partnership with Science North and Laurentian University; and

FURTHER THAT this support come out of the 2003 Economic Development Capital Envelope in an amount up to \$20,000 to be matched by a cash contribution by Science North, a partner in the project.

CARRIED

MOTIONS

Item R-3
Goods and Services
Tax Exemption

2003-588 Davey-Portelance: WHEREAS it is recognized by all levels of government that reliance on property taxes by municipalities is inherently flawed as an instrument for funding the long-term needs of municipalities based as they are on assessable property values and not the ability to pay;

AND WHEREAS the regressive nature of the property tax means it is a poor match for funding in the area of income redistribution, a responsibility that is increasingly being laid at the door of municipal governments as the Province of Ontario has moved to download responsibilities in the area of social-services delivery;

AND WHEREAS the commercial/industrial portion of the property tax impedes Canada's international competitiveness;

AND WHEREAS property values do not rise in tandem with the cost of municipal programs and services;

Item R-3 Goods and Services <u>Tax Exemption</u> (continued) AND WHEREAS municipalities' power to raise and spend revenue is limited to what is granted to them in provincial legislation;

AND WHEREAS it is agreed at all levels of government that the erosion of municipal infrastructure is a significant threat to the quality of life in Canada and that merely maintaining existing roads, bridges, transit systems and other types of infrastructure is not enough - modernization is also required and therefore municipalities in Canada need access to new sources of ongoing revenue;

AND WHEREAS giving municipalities the power to design and administer their own sales taxes would be expensive and cumbersome to operate;

AND WHEREAS the Government of Canada has within its ability to save municipalities money by eliminating the tax transfer that presently goes from municipalities to the Federal Government;

AND WHEREAS eliminating the existing reduced Goods and Services Tax (GST) would realize an additional \$450 million a year for Canada's municipalities and an estimated \$2.7 million (net of rebates) to the City of Greater Sudbury;

AND WHEREAS the elimination of the GST would produce additional savings because the administrative requirement for accounting for the GST would also be eliminated;

AND WHEREAS zero rating the GST charged to municipalities is entirely within the legislative power of the Government of Canada and does not require any consultation or negotiation with other levels of governments but could be achieved by the passing of a Regulation under the Excise Tax Act thereby returning much need tax dollars to work for Canadian communities;

AND WHEREAS if such a re-balancing were to be implemented then the overall tax burden of all Canadians would not be increased, and the funds represented by GST could be invested in replacing and repairing the municipalities' deteriorating infrastructure.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury hereby calls upon the Government of Canada to immediately exempt all municipalities from the Goods and Services Tax.

AND FURTHER THAT copies of this resolution be forward to the Right Honourable Jean Chrétien, Prime Minister of Canada, the Honourable John Manley, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, the Honourable Elinor Caplan, Minister of National Revenue, the Honourable Allan Rock, Minister of Industry and Minister responsible for Infrastructure, FONOM, AMO, FCM, and all local members of Parliament.

Item R-3 Goods and Services Tax Exemption (continued)

RECORDED VOTE:

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Callaghan
Courtemanche
Craig
Davey
Dupuis
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McIntaggart

Petryna
Portelance
Mayor Gordon

CARRIED

Item R-4
Provincial Sales Tax
Exemption

2003-589 Davey-Portelance: WHEREAS it is recognized by all levels of government that reliance on property taxes by municipalities is inherently flawed as an instrument for funding the long-term needs of municipalities based as they are on assessable property values and not the ability to pay;

AND WHEREAS the regressive nature of the property tax means it is a poor match for funding in the area of income redistribution, a responsibility that is increasingly being laid at the door of municipal governments as the Province of Ontario has moved to download responsibilities in the area of social-services delivery;

AND WHEREAS the commercial/industrial portion of the property tax impedes competitiveness;

AND WHEREAS property values do not rise in tandem with the cost of municipal programs and services;

AND WHEREAS municipalities' power to raise and spend revenue is limited to what is granted to them in provincial legislation;

AND WHEREAS it is agreed at all levels of government that the erosion of municipal infrastructure is a significant threat to the quality of life in Ontario and that merely maintaining existing roads, bridges, transit systems and other types of infrastructure is not enough - modernization is also required and therefore municipalities in Ontario need access to new sources of ongoing revenue;

AND WHEREAS giving municipalities the power to design and administer their own sales taxes would be expensive and cumbersome to operate;

AND WHEREAS the Province of Ontario has within its ability to immediately lessen the burden and strain on municipal finances by

Item R-4
Provincial Sales Tax
Exemption
(continued)

exempting municipalities from the Provincial Sales Tax (PST);

AND WHEREAS the elimination of the provincial sales tax for municipal government's purchase of services and goods would return an estimated \$3.8 million per year to the City of Greater Sudbury alone and an estimated \$180 to \$210 million per year to all Ontario municipalities;

AND WHEREAS eliminating the charging of PST to municipalities is entirely within the legislative power of the Province of Ontario and does not require any consultation or negotiation with other levels of governments but could be achieved by the passing of a Regulation under the Retail Sales Act thereby returning much need tax dollars to work for Ontario communities:

AND WHEREAS if such a re-balancing were to be implemented then the overall tax burden of Sudburians, and Ontarians, would not be increased, and the funds represented by PST could be invested in replacing and repairing the municipalities' deteriorating infrastructure.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury hereby petitions the Government of Ontario to immediately exempt by regulation all Ontario municipalities from the Provincial Sales Tax.

AND FURTHER THAT copies of this resolution be forward to the Honourable Dalton McGuinty, Premier of the Province of Ontario and Minister of Intergovernmental Affairs, the Honourable Greg Sorbara, Minister of Finance, the Honourable John Gerretsen, Minister of Municipal Affairs, the Honourable Rick Bartolucci, Minister of Northern Development and Mines, FONOM, AMO, and all local members of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario.

RECORDED VOTE

Bradley Callaghan Courtemanche Craig Davey Dupuis Gainer Lalonde McIntaggart Petryna Portelance Mayor Gordon

Item R-5 Accessibility Advisory Committee Re-appointment Petryna-Portelance: WHEREAS the members of the Accessibility Committee have coordinated the preparation of both the Transit Accessibility Plan and the recent City's Accessibility Plan; and

WHEREAS the current members of the Accessibility Committee have expressed their willingness to continue serving in the Committee to carry out the implementation of both Plans; and

WHEREAS the Council adopted Accessibility Plan recommends to expand the Committee's membership in order to reflect the range of disabilities contemplated in the Ontarians with Disabilities Act;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council recommends to the newly elected Council the re-appointment of the current members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee, and that the membership be expanded to include persons with disabilities as nominated by the following three organizations:

- Canadian National Institute for the Blind, CNIB
- Canadian Hearing Society
- The Canadian Mental Health Association

and a parent of a disabled child.

Withdrawal of Motion

With the concurrence of Council, Councillor Petryna withdrew the foregoing motion.

Main Motion (re-introduced)

After some deliberations, Council, by two-thirds, agreed to re-introduce the withdrawn motion subsequent to amending it as follows:

by deleting "to include persons with disabilities as nominated by the following three organizations:

- Canadian National Institute for the Blind, CNIB
- Canadian Hearing Society
- The Canadian Mental Health Association

and a parent of a disabled child" and adding "by an additional four (4) representatives from organizations which aid the physically disabled."

Main Motion (as amended)

With Council's concurrence, Councillor Petryna reintroduced the motion as amended:

2003-590 Petryna-Portelance: WHEREAS the members of the Accessibility Committee have coordinated the preparation of both the Transit Accessibility Plan and the recent City's Accessibility Plan; and

Item R-5
Accessibility Advisory
Committee
Re-appointment
(continued)

WHEREAS the current members of the Accessibility Committee have expressed their willingness to continue serving in the Committee to carry out the implementation of both Plans; and

WHEREAS the Council adopted Accessibility Plan recommends to expand the Committee's membership in order to reflect the range of disabilities contemplated in the Ontarians with Disabilities Act;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council recommends to the newly elected Council the re-appointment of the current members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee, and that the membership be expanded by an additional four (4) representatives from organizations which aid the physically disabled.

CARRIED

Addendum

The following resolution was presented:

2003-591 Petryna-McIntaggart: THAT the Addendum to the Agenda

be dealt with at this time.

CARRIED

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

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None

BY-LAWS

2003-299Z

A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 95-500Z, THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING BY-LAW OF THE FORMER CITY OF SUDBURY

Planning Committee Recommendation 2003-205

(This By-law rezones the subject property to a revised Single Residential Special to permit the subject property to be severed into 5 individual lots for single residential use, with all lots serviced by a private right-of-way. Gilbert Charette, 1663 Torbay Road, Sudbury.)

1st & 2nd Reading

2003-592 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT By-law 2003-299Z be read a first

and second time.

CARRIED

3rd Reading

2003-593 Bradley-Dupuis THAT By-law 2003-299Z be read a third

time and passed.

CIVIC PETITIONS

Councillor Callaghan

Councillor Callaghan submitted a petition to the City Clerk, signed by forty-three (43) members of the Capreol Millennium Gym regarding the hours of operation at the Capreol Millennium Gym facility.

This Civic Petition will be forwarded to the appropriate General Manager for a review in response.

QUESTION PERIOD

Municipal Alcohol Policy

Councillor Bradley questioned the section of the Municipal Alcohol Policy prohibiting the use of glassware during an event. The General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services advised Council that a review of the policy regarding the use of glassware during weddings and other formal functions is underway.

Railway Crossing - Maley Drive, Sudbury

Councillor Callaghan asked the General Manager of Public Works for an update on the motion that was brought forward by Councillor Portelance dealing with the Maley Drive railway crossing at the August 12, 2003 Council meeting.

Mr. Belisle advised Council that a on-site meeting had been held with staff, media, Members of Council and representatives of Transport Canada and Canadian National Railway Company. He will continue to update Council on the status of this matter.

NOTICES OF MOTION

Loss of Revenues -Local Charities, Service Groups & Community Non-Profit Organizations

Presented by Councillor Callaghan:

WHEREAS many local charities, service groups and community non-profit organizations such as the Lions and Rotary Clubs have found their ability to raise funds through bingo events and lotteries seriously affected by the establishment of casinos and slots at race tracks throughout Ontario;

AND WHEREAS local charities, service groups and community nonprofit organizations provide valuable services to the residents of their respective communities;

AND WHEREAS overall, it is important for local charities, service groups and community non-profit organizations to replace these lost revenues;

AND WHEREAS the Ontario Trillium Foundation has been mandated by the Government of Ontario to make strategic investments to build healthy, sustainable and caring communities in Ontario;

Loss of Revenues -Local Charities, Service Groups & Community Non-Profit Organizations (continued) AND WHEREAS the funding model for the Community and Province-wide Grants administered by the Ontario Trillium Foundation allocates 80 per cent of the \$100 million for distribution to local charities for community projects and 20 per cent to charitable organizations or projects with a province-wide scope;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury petition the Government of Ontario to take the following steps to address the loss of revenues available to local charities, service groups and community non-profit organizations:

- 1. By increasing the funding for the Trillium Foundation from \$100 million to \$150 million;
- 2. By amending the funding formula from \$7.00 per capita to \$10.00 per capita;.
- 3. By simplifying and streamlining the grant application process to allow easier and more timely access and faster approval of funding from the Ontario Trillium Foundation:
- By specifically promoting the activities and funding of the Ontario Trillium Foundation to local charities, service groups and non-profit organizations in order to make its operations more accessible, understandable and transparent; and
- That the Ontario Government take immediate steps to address issues related to municipalities' ability to dispense funds in partnership with community organizations and groups such as Lion's Clubs and Rotary Clubs;

AND FURTHER THAT copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Madeleine Meilleur, Minister of Culture, the Honourable Rick Bartolucci, Minister of Northern Development and Mines, Mr. Robert G. Power, Chair, Board of Directors, Ontario Trillium Foundation, FONOM, AMO and all local Members of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario.

Adjournment

2003-594 Portelance-Petryna: THAT this meeting does now adjourn. Time: 9:55 p.m.

Mayor	City Clerk	