

From: Rob Spence

Sent: Monday, May 21, 2018 8:45 PM

To: Clerks Richmondhill

Cc: Karen Cilevitz

Subject: Communication for inclusion in the public record regarding Agenda Item 11.20
– SRCS.18.13, Mount Pleasant Park Tennis Court Resurfacing

I am writing this letter of support to immediately resurface the Mount Pleasant Park tennis courts . While I do not want to see any decision negatively impact the ultimate plans for the Civic Precinct, I also think it is unacceptable to have tennis courts anywhere in Richmond Hill to be as badly deteriorated as the current situation at Mount Pleasant Park; I would like to see immediate steps taken to render these courts usable this season.

Thank you for your attention to this matter,

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Rob Spence

67 Lund Street

Richmond Hill, Ontario, L4C-9V&

From: GAYE SPENCE

Sent: Monday, May 21, 2018 9:43 PM

To: Clerks Richmondhill

Cc: Karen Cilevitz

Subject: Communication for inclusion in the public record regarding Agenda Item 11.20 – SRCS.18.13, Mount Pleasant Park Tennis Court Resurfacing

I am writing this letter of support to immediately resurface the Mount Pleasant Park Tennis courts.

I have been writing Ward 5 Councillor since 2012 requesting that these courts be resurfaced (see email thread below).

It has been 5 years in the making and hopefully something will finally be done to improve the condition of the tennis courts in Mount Pleasant Park.

Regards,
Gaye Spence
67 Lund St.
Richmond Hill, Ontario, L4C 9V7

----- Forwarded Message -----

From: Nick Papa <nick.papa@richmondhill.ca>

To: "spencegaye@rogers.com"

Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2013 9:56 PM

Subject: Re: Ward 5 Tennis Courts

Please e-mail shane.baker@richmondhill.ca and ask him.

Thanks

Nick

From: ROB & GAYE SPENCE

Sent: Sunday, June 02, 2013 09:37 PM Eastern Standard Time

To: Nick Papa

Subject: Re: Ward 5 Tennis Courts

Where can I get information about what is planned for Mount Pleasant Park and the timing for these changes.

Gaye Spence

From: Nick Papa <nick.papa@richmondhill.ca>

To: ROB & GAYE SPENCE >

Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 9:28:38 AM

Subject: RE: Ward 5 Tennis Courts

Rob. Thanks for the e-mail and in that regard when we built or re-built the courts we follow an accepted standard which has been used for years and we will follow that up.

From: ROB & GAYE SPENCE
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2013 9:27 PM
To: Nick Papa
Subject: Re: Ward 5 Tennis Courts

Dear Mr. Papa,

Last year I inquired if we could up grade the surface of the tennis courts in Mount Pleasant Park to be of similar quality as the tennis courts on Regent St. (Stavert Park) and Spadina Rd (Bayview Hill Park). You agreed to support this and that I needed to contact Shane Baker to begin the process.

The information that I received from Shane was that the tennis courts in Mount Pleasant Park are not approved for the "Level of Service" that is required for the same surface that is found on the tennis courts on Regent St. and Spadina Rd. The Level of Service that the parks are granted is decided by YOU (the councillors) and he can not provide what has not been approved.

In further conversation with Shane there was mention that Mount Pleasant Park is going to have a make over.

Could you please clarify what the plans are for Mount Pleasant Park and if you could provide Ward 5 with the same standard of tennis courts that are found on Regent St. and Spadina Rd.

Thank You
Gaye Spence

From: Nick Papa <nick.papa@richmondhill.ca>
To: Gaye Spence
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2012 9:17:33 AM
Subject: RE: Ward 5 Tennis Courts

Mr. Spence, sure I will support tennis courts which are for recreational playing and of standard surface which is commonly used in Richmond Hill and surrounding areas. Professional courts is a different ball game.

Sincerely
Nick

-----Original Message-----

From: Gaye Spence
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2012 9:37 PM
To: Nick Papa

Cc: Rob Spence; Gaye Spence
Subject: Ward 5 Tennis Courts

Hello Mr. Papa;

I have been a resident of ward 5 for 25 years. I am very disappointed that the tennis courts in our ward have never been properly finished with a smooth playing surface. Initially I thought the courts may have to sit a year or two to accommodate land settling before the final surface applied. Many years later the surface has not changed. I am an avid tennis player but prefer to cycle to Regent St or Weldrick and Spadina to play on courts with proper surfaces.

Are there any plans to improve the surface on the courts in Ward 5.?

Will you support an initiative to have the courts in Ward 5 correctly surfaced?

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From: Kathleen Crosbie

Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 10:11 AM

To: Clerks Richmondhill

Cc: Karen Cilevitz

Subject: Communication for inclusion in the public record regarding Agenda Item 11.20 – SRCS.18.13, Mount Pleasant Park Tennis Court Resurfacing”

Hello,

I would like to have the Mount Pleasant Park tennis court with a playing surface of the same quality as those at Regent Street and Bayview Hill.

The beautiful new playground in Tannery Park also has 2 courts with the asphalt playing surface. This was a huge disappointment for the residents in my neighbourhood. It would be wonderful to have ALL courts in Richmond Hill be of the same quality... and do hope the discussion at council will address the needs of all residents to have access to better/equal playing surfaces on their local tennis courts.

Our address:

4 Drumern Crescent

Kathleen Crosbie and Brian Spettigue