



Staff Report for Committee of the Whole Meeting

Date of Meeting: May 7, 2019

Report Number: SRS.19.09

Department: Office of the City Manager

Division: Legal Services

Subject: **Licensing Agreement Related to Lands required for implementation of VivaNext Project**

Purpose:

To seek Council approval to enter into a Licensing Agreement with The Regional Municipality of York in order to assist in the access and completion of the VivaNext Project upon written recommendation of the City Manager.

Recommendation(s):

That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to execute a Licensing Agreement with The Regional Municipality of York (the "Region") for those lands described in Appendix "A" to SRS.19.09, upon the recommendation of the City Manager.

Contact Person:

Christian Greco, Manager of Real Estate

Report Approval:

Submitted by: Antonio R. Dimilta, City Solicitor

Approved by: Neil Garbe, City Manager

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Background:

Pursuant to Staff Report SRS.15.01, in May of 2015 the City entered into a Licensing Agreement with the Region to allow access to certain City-owned lands in order to complete construction works with respect to the Yonge Street bus rapidway transit (VivaNext) project from Highway 7 to Major Mackenzie Drive and from Levedale Road to Gamble Road/19th Avenue in Richmond Hill. The Licensing Agreement was provided for a term of four years expiring on or about May 27, 2019.

The Manager of Real Estate has been contacted by the Region requesting a new Licensing Agreement extending the term to December 30, 2021 as the project timelines have been extended.

Financial/Staffing/Other Implications:

There are no financial implications.

Relationship to the Strategic Plan:

The recommendation in this report relates to the new Strategic Plan Goal of “wise management of resources in Richmond Hill” and the objective of being responsible by serving as a role model for municipal management.

Conclusion:

The new Licensing Agreement will assist the Region in the timely completion of the VivaNext project in the City of Richmond Hill.

Attachments:

The following attached documents may include scanned images of appendixes, maps and photographs. If you require an alternative format please call contact person listed in this document.

- Appendix “A”

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Report Approval Details

Document Title:	Licensing Agreement Related to Lands Required For Implementation of VivaNext Project.docx
Attachments:	- Appendix A.doc
Final Approval Date:	May 1, 2019

This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Antonio Dimilta - May 1, 2019 - 11:24 AM

Neil Garbe - May 1, 2019 - 11:26 AM