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Councillor Sue McFadden • Mississauga WARD 10



Public Meeting

Please join me for a community meeting regarding development of the Ninth Line lands between Derry Road and Britannia Road in Ward 10.

COMMUNITY MEETING ON NINTH LINE LANDS

Wednesday, October 16, 2019 – 7 pm Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Sec. Sch., 3700 Trelawny Circle

A planning consultant for the developer, Mattamy Homes, will present the latest draft of the site plan for public review and feedback. Staff from the city's planning and works departments will also be available to answer questions and receive comments.

This is the second community meeting I am hosting on this development. I have worked with the developer to incorporate many of the suggestions from the first meeting into this latest draft. Your feedback is helping to shape what is built on the Ninth Line and I thank you in advance for taking the time and interest to attend and provide your comments. Hope to see you there!

The massive stairway, built mostly offsite, was delivered and positioned in the middle of the building last month. Contractors and trades are working hard to get the building enclosed before winter sets in.

Community Centre

Progress on the construction of the new Community Centre and Sports Park along Ninth Line continues to move ahead. The massive staircase that will be an architectural feature of the building's interior was delivered last month. With the roof, plumbing, electrical and steel structures almost complete, the push now is to get the building water tight before the winter sets in. Beautiful summer weather wasn't able to completely make up for the terrible winter we had last year resulting in a construction schedule that is tracking a slight delay overall. We are still pushing for a dome opening in the fall of 2020 to proceed with winter recreation activities but public occupancy of the building may be a few months later than first forecast. To find out more about the community centre and its many features and amenities, please visit my website or the dedicated page on the city website.

LINK: www.Mississauga.ca/churchillmeadows





Pump Station Tendered

A significant milestone has been reached in our ongoing work to mitigate water seepage into basement foundations of homes near the creek in the Lisgar District. The tender has been posted for construction of the pump station that will automatically remove water from the sewer system when it reaches a certain threshold. Awarding of the tender is expected this month with construction to begin soon thereafter. The selected location for the infrastructure is the parkette along Black Walnut Trail at Cactus Gate and this intersection will be closed to traffic during construction. A notification letter will be sent out to all residents living in the area with specific details and impacts on the community.

BUDGET ALLOCATOR

Mississauga's online budget allocator for the proposed 2020 Budget is available. The online budget allocator lets you test different spending options for a range of City services including recreation, library, transit, fire and emergency services and more by increasing or decreasing the budget for each service area all while maintaining a balanced budget. Results received from the allocator by October 18, 2019 will be shared with Budget Committee on November 18, 2019. The results will help inform the committee's review of the proposed 2020 Business Plan and Budget.

LINK: https://mississaugabudget2020.budgetallocator.com/#ba

Please visit my online poll or send me an e-mail with your opinion on reducing speeds on residential streets.

Poll Question

Reducing Speeds

Earlier this year Council approved a plan to allow some neighbourhoods to be designated for lower speeds on all residential streets within a defined area. The concept includes reducing the speed limit on local and minor collector roads from 50 km/h to 40 km/h. Signs would be placed only at the entrances and exits of these neighbourhoods.

I believe this is a positive move toward creating safer, more livable communities. Of course, I want to hear from you as well on this matter so I have created a very short online poll with one question (plus some demographic questions):

Do you support a reduction of speed from 50 km/H to 40 km/H on all residential streets within a defined neighbourhood area?

You can respond to the poll anonymously online or simply send me an e-mail to sue.mcfadden@mississauga.ca with your YES or NO to that question.

LINK: www.mississaugaward10.ca/2019/09/26/speed-reduction-poll/

Buyer Beware

Over the past number of months, I have received numerous inquiries and complaints from residents in the Lisgar District who, on their doorstep, were solicited by a plumbing company using misleading sales tactics in persuading them to purchase their goods and services. Salespeople were alleged to have misrepresented themselves as government employees and provided inaccurate information about subsidies and rebates.

In response and to protect consumers, I put forward a motion to have our Council urge the provincial government to include sump pumps among the list of goods and services banned from door to door solicitation as outlined in the Consumer Protection Act, 2002. This motion passed unanimously on Sept. 25.

If you are interested in having a sump pump installed in your home, the city does offer a subsidy to *eligible* homeowners to defray the cost of equipment and installation.

LINK: http://www.mississauga.ca/portal/stormwater/fdc-sump-pump-subsidy



The above map shows many of the recommended changes for MiWay bus routes proposed for the fourth quarter of 2020. I have requested that staff review an option of moving the new Route 50 to Ninth Line between Derry Rd and McDowell Dr.

Ward 10 MiWay Changes

If you're a Ward 10 resident that rides the bus, you will want to pay attention to the proposed changes come to MiWay's routes and schedules in 2020. And the first and best place to have your say is through the upcoming series of Public Open Houses this month.

Tuesday, Oct. 15 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. City Centre Transit Terminal Wednesday, Oct. 16 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. Meadowvale Town Centre Term Saturday, Oct. 19 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Erin Mills Town Centre Terminal

Proposed changes in Ward 10 affect routes #9, #35, #39, #49, #90, and #109 and the introduction of route #50. Note that there are no changes planned for route #46. MiWay staff are looking to hear from riders about these recommendations; nothing is set in stone and now is the time to ask questions and provide feedback.

LINK: https://www.mivoice.ca/miway5





REQUEST A SERVICE

SERVICES BY TOPIC







Temporary Parking Permit (Consideration)

Use this service to request a short term parking permit (parking consideration) on a residential street. You may request up to 14 short term parking permits in a year for each address where there are no prohibited signs. This permit is not valid on private property.

Places note that Traffic Ry law 555 00 allows extended an etract



Parking Reminders

Please take note of the following resources and information as it relates to on-street, residential parking across the city and in our ward.

Parking Considerations

When you have overnight guests or are doing drive-way repairs and need to park on the street, you can request a temporary parking perimt (or *parking consideration*). These are available for up to 5 days at a time, 14 times per calendar year at no charge. Considerations can be suspended during and following a snowfall when all vehicles must be removed from the street to allow for efficient snow clearing operations.

LINK: https://www.mississauga.ca/portal/services/parking-permits

Lower Driveway Boulevard

Vehicles may not be parked on the section of the driveway between the sidewalk and the curb unless otherwise signed. Residents can apply for lower driveway boulevard parking on their street by petitioning their neighbours. Even where LDBP is allowed, vehicles must be parked in such as way as to NOT overhang the sidewalk or the roadway.

LINK: http://www.mississauga.ca/portal/residents/parkingregulations

Widened Driveways

There are zoning bylaws that regulate how wide your

driveway is allowed to be. If you are thinking of widening your driveway, find out what is permitted under the zoning bylaw and then apply for a minor variance through the Committee of Adjustment prior to having any work done.

LINK: http://www.mississauga.ca/portal/pb/driveways

Lawn Parking

Vehicles may not be parked on any soft landscaping on your property or the city boulevard. This regulation is enforced by the city's bylaw officers and contravention could result in significant fines. Please ensure your vehicle is parked on the hard surface portion of your driveway at all times.

LINK: http://www.mississauga.ca/portal/residents/zoningbylaw

Garages

The garage attached to your home is designed to be a parking space (or two) for your vehicle(s). Many people store "stuff" in their garage. Taking some time to clear up the clutter will not only provide parking spaces, it will also protect your vehicles from potential theft or property damage.

General

Vehicles may park on the street for up to 5 hours maximum unless otherwise signed. No parking any-time between 2 am and 6 am. Parking is allowed on statutory holidays from 7 am to midnight.

LINK: http://www.mississauga.ca/parking



Federal Election

A general federal election is being held this month on October 21. The federal government is an important partner in ensuring the City of Mississauga meets its objectives, realizes its vision, and achieves its city-building priorities, specifically through proper funding mechanisms. A federal election affords the City of Mississauga the opportunity to engage with political leaders and candidates on issues of importance. While there are many pressing issues, the City is focusing on these four key concerns: public transit, sustainable and direct funding for infrastructure, affordable housing, and strengthening the relationship between the federal and municipal government. The campaign developed by the city is called Mississauga Matters. When a candidate comes to your door, you may have your own list of issues that are important to you. You may also want to consider these as priorities for the betterment of our city and your neighbourhood.

LINK: http://www.mississauga.ca/portal/cityhall/federal-election-2019

Take IT Home

Your super mailbox doesn't have to look this way. The simple solution is: please take your mail home and recycle it there. Recycle bins aren't placed at these mailboxes for a number of good reasons, including: 1) non-recycleable waste gets mixed in; 2) there is no service to empty them; 3) everyone has a recycle cart at home. It's common knowledge that Canada Post delivers a lot of unaddressed flyers along with your important mail. In addition to providing a way for entrepreneurs to advertise their small business, these flyers help pay for the service provided by Canada Post. I'm not asking you to read all these flyers; but I am asking you to take them with you to recycle them at home.

Also, ads taped to the sides of mailboxes or on signs near mailboxes are illegal and make a mess of the community. If left there, they invite additional signs and mess - and litter. Feel free to remove these notices as soon as they are posted. Let's keep these areas clean.

Weekly Yard Waste Collection

Weekly yard waste collection began again the last week of September and will continue until December. Check your waste calendar online to confirm dates for your neighbourhood. Yard waste is commonly defined as unwanted material from your lawn, yard or garden. There are size, material and weight limitations for bags or containers used for yard waste. Bags must be specifically designed for yard waste. Reusable containers must be rigid and specifically marked "yard waste." If you would like Yard Waste stickers for your containers, please contact my office with your name, address and number of stickers needed and I will provide them to you free of charge.

LINK: http://peelregion.ca/waste/yard-waste/

Have your say:

Climate Change Action Plan

The City of Mississauga is committed to decreasing its carbon footprint and preparing the community for the effects of a changing climate. The Climate Change Action Plan is the city's ambitious, yet practical, plan to do that. You can read the draft plan here.

https://bit.ly/2lXPCom

Before we finalize the Plan, we want to hear from you! Provide us with your feedback before Friday, October 18, 2019. You can do that by:

- 1. Attending one of our open houses:
 - •Wednesday October 2,2019 | 7-9pm | Upper Lobby, Meadowvale Community Centre
 - •Sat. Oct. 5 | 9:30-11:30am | Clarkson Comm Ctr
 - •Tue. Oct. 8 | 3-7pm | University of Toronto, Miss
 - •Thu. Oct. 10 | 7-9pm | Mississauga Valley CC
- 2. Completing our survey, which also includes a section for additional comments.

LINK: https://yoursay.mississauga.ca/climate-change



Can Emergency Services Find You?

When every second counts, you can help fire, police and paramedic services find your home quickly by ensuring your house number is clearly visible from the street. On a related note, if you happen to still have your lot number sign attached to your home (see above), feel free to take that down; it is used only when a home is sold for the first time and serves no municipal purpose after occupancy.

Give a Little This Thanksgiving

MAYOR CROMBIE'S

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FOOD DRIVE

Mayor Crombie, in partnership with The Mississauga Food Bank and Fire and Emergency Services, is proud to launch the Mayor's Citywide Food Drive Challenge leading up to Thanksgiving. The friendly citywide

competition invites residents to raise food and funds for The Mississauga Food Bank. Residents are asked to drop off non-perishable food donations at their local fire stations. Food will be weighed between September 21 – October 16 and the ward that has collected the most amount of food will be declared the winner on October 17.

If you want your donation to count towards Ward 10's combined contribution, be sure to drop off your dona-

tion at the fire station on Thomas Street, just west of Tenth Line.

During the Food Drive Challenge, COBS Bread will provide a certificate for a free loaf of bread to every

donor who drops off food at a fire station or The Mississauga Food Bank warehouse.

You can also take part in the "one bag challenge," where you post of photo of yourself with your donated bag of food on social media and challenge five of your local friends to do the same. It's a great way to spread the joy of sharing with those in need. Thank you for show-

ing your generosity in this very tangible way.

LINK: https://www.mayorcrombie.ca/mayors-city-wide-food-drive-challenge-september-21st-october-16th/



Quick Links



My Printed Newsletter

Watch for my annual printed newsletter coming to your mailbox later this month. I continue to distribute this publication as it reaches every home in the ward. However, in it, I encourage subscriptions to my monthly eNewsletter which is much more timely and much less costly. If you want to read it now before the hard copy arrives, click the link below.

LINK: http://www.mississaugaward10.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/RCC-0005-fall2019_v9.pdf



Raptors 905 Return

Come see the future hometown NBA pros in some fast-paced, entertaining basketball right here in Mississauga. The Raptors 905, feeder team to the NBA Champion Toronto Raptors, open their new season on home court at the Paramount Fine Foods Centre on Friday, November 8, 7:30 pm against the Grand Rapids Drive.

LINK: https://raptors905.gleague.nba.com/



Federal Candidates Meet and Greet

The Churchill Meadows Residents Association is holding a federal candidates meet and greet on Friday, October 4 from 7 to 9 pm at V!VA Retirement Centre, 5575 Bonnie St. This event is combined with their Annual General Meeting where new members can be elected to serve on the association's executive.

LINK: www.mymeadows.ca

ACHIEVEMENTS

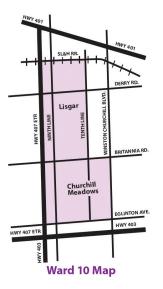
Congratulations to **Maitreyi Ramakrishnan**, a Mississauga teen who grew up in Ward 10, who landed the lead role in Mindy Kaling's new Netflix comedy! The Meadowvale Secondary School grad beat out 15,000 other actresses in an open casting call earlier this year. Watch for her in the yet-to-be-named series coming to Netflix in March.





Congratulations to Mississauga's **Bianca Andreescu** for winning the US Open women's tennis championship last month and sky-rocketing to fifth on the Women's Tennis Association's world rankings. She's not a Ward 10 resident but a street to be named in her honour may just end up in Ward 10.

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Coffee or Tea?

I am available for a one-on-one conversation with you to discuss municipal-related matters on select Friday or Saturday mornings at a convenient coffee shop near you. Please call 905-896-5010 to schedule an appointment.

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