



To: Richmond City Council
From: Victor Wei, P. Eng.
 Director, Transportation

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Re: Proposed Revised Routing of Annual Remembrance Day Parade

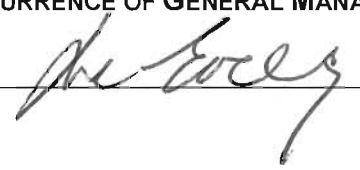

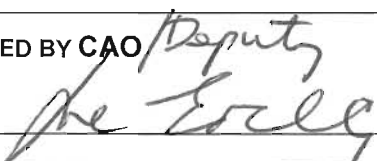
Staff Recommendation

That the proposed revised routing of the annual Remembrance Day Parade as shown in Attachment 1 of the staff report dated November 4, 2014 from the Director, Transportation, be approved.



Victor Wei, P. Eng.
 Director, Transportation
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Att. 1

REPORT CONCURRENCE		
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Staff Report

Origin

Per Section 7.2 of Traffic Bylaw No. 5870, the Director of Transportation approved on October 9, 2014 an application by the Richmond Remembrance Day Committee to conduct its annual Remembrance Day parade, as the elements of the parade were the same as in previous years. Council were informed of this decision via a memorandum dated October 9, 2014.

Subsequently, the organizing committee proposed a modified route. Per Section 7.2 of Traffic Bylaw No. 5870, any changes to the criteria of an approved annual parade must be approved by Council. This report presents the revised criteria and recommends that the parade be granted approval.

Analysis

Proposed Changes to Parade Criteria

Currently, the annual Remembrance Day parade is approved to be held along the route shown in solid green in Attachment 1 (i.e., beginning in the parking lot of City Hall, heading south on No. 3 Road and, after completion of the ceremonies at the cenotaph, proceeding south on No. 3 Road, west on Granville Avenue and ending in the parking lot for Minoru Park).

As of the upcoming event on November 11, 2014, a revised route has now been developed as shown in dashed blue in Attachment 1 (i.e., beginning in the parking lot of City Hall, heading east on Granville Avenue, north on No. 3 Road and, after completion of the ceremonies at the cenotaph, proceeding south on No. 3 Road, west on Granville Avenue and ending in the parking lot for City Hall).

The estimated duration of the parade and ceremonies is three hours and any disruption to traffic along the affected streets is expected to be minimal.

Financial Impact

None.

Conclusion

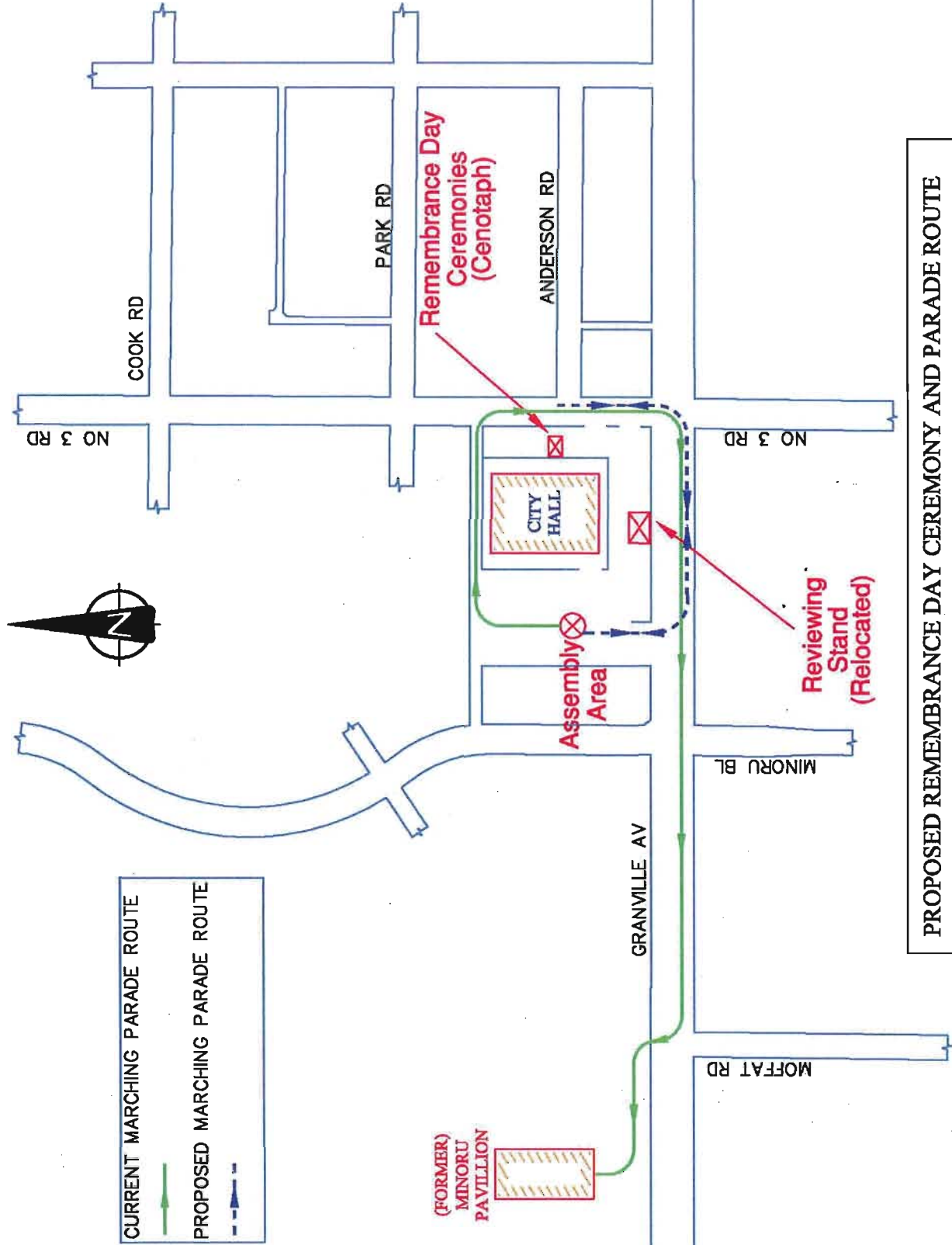
Staff recommend support of the revised routing of the annual Remembrance Day parade.



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Att. 1: Current and Proposed Routes of Annual Remembrance Day Parade



CURRENT MARCHING PARADE ROUTE
 PROPOSED MARCHING PARADE ROUTE

Remembrance Day Ceremonies (Cenotaph)

Assembly Area

Reviewing Stand (Relocated)

PROPOSED REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY AND PARADE ROUTE
 NOVEMBER 11, 2014