

Request for Council's Consideration

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Date of Council Meeting: September 13, 2011

Subject: Request for a letter to the Province re pedestrian safety / Hwy. 111

Motion for Council to Consider:

That the Mayor, on behalf of Council, write to the Province regarding erecting a barrier or other measures in order to provide greater pedestrian safety with regard to Hwy. 111 and that this issue be placed on the next HRM Transportation Standing Committee agenda.

Reason:

The recent death of a pedestrian crossing Hwy. 111 has highlighted the need for additional accesses and/or preventive barriers on the 111 Circumferential Hwy. I am asking that a letter be sent to the Province of Nova Scotia and the local MLA requesting that additional measures be taken to continue to improve pedestrian access across Hwy. 111 from Highfield Park Drive to Burnside Park.

I am also requesting that this issue be placed on the next agenda for the HRM Transportation Standing Committee for an update on HRM's role.

Outcome Sought:

Enhanced safety of pedestrians crossing Hwy. 111 from Highfield Park Drive to Burnside Park.

Deputy Mayor Jim Smith

District 9