

Committee of the Whole (2) Report

DATE: Tuesday, June 17, 2025

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TITLE: VAUGHAN METROPOLITAN CENTRE TRANSPORTATION
MASTER PLAN (TRANSMITTAL REPORT)

FROM:

VMC Sub-Committee

ACTION: DECISION

Purpose

To forward recommendations from the VMC Sub-Committee meeting of May 21, 2025, with respect to the subject matter for consideration by Committee of the Whole.

Report Highlights

- This is a transmittal report from the City Clerk on behalf of the VMC Sub-Committee forwarding recommendations for consideration by Committee of the Whole.

Recommendations

- 1) That the recommendations contained in the following report of the Interim Deputy City Manager, Planning, Growth Management and Housing Delivery dated May 21, 2025, be forwarded to Council for approval;
- 2) That the presentation by Enya Huang and Jeremy Finkleman, WSP Canada and Communication C1., presentation material titled "*VMC Transportation Master Plan*" be received; and
- 3) That Communication C3., from Allyssa Hrynyk, Associate, Malone Given Parsons, Renfrew Drive, Markham, on behalf of Portage Conversion Landowners Group, dated May 20, 2025, be received.

Recommendations of the Interim Deputy City Manager, Planning, Growth Management and Housing Delivery dated May 21, 2025:

The VMC Sub-Committee recommends that Council approve:

1. The proposed VMC Transportation Master Plan, comprising the recommended future transportation networks, cross-sections and supporting policies as contained in Attachment 1 to this report; and
2. That staff be directed to implement the actions contained within the 2025 VMC Transportation Master Plan in accordance with the recommended timeline.

Background

At its meeting on May 21, 2025, the VMC Sub-Committee considered recommendations contained in the report of the Interim Deputy City Manager, Planning, Growth Management and Housing Delivery [Attachment 1].

Previous Reports/Authority

Previous reports relating to the VMC Transportation Master Plan can be found at the following links:

[VMC Studies Update - November 2024](#)

[VMC Studies Update - April 2023](#)

[VMC Studies Update - September 2022](#)

[VMC Transportation Master Plan Update - November 2021](#)

[VMC Studies Update - November 2020](#)

[Vaughan Metropolitan Centre Studies Update - May 2020](#)

[VMC Implementation and Construction Update - December 2019](#)

Analysis and Options

Recommendations from the VMC Sub-Committee meeting of May 21, 2025, are being presented for consideration by Committee of the Whole – please refer to Attachment 1 for details.

Financial Impact

There are no immediate budgetary impacts resulting from the adoption of this report. Additional capital and operating funding will be required in future years as reviewed and updated as part of the City's annual budget process.

Operational Impact

The VMC Transportation Master Plan was developed in consultation with internal stakeholder departments through regular Technical Advisory Committee meetings and other engagement touchpoints. The various ongoing VMC plans and studies inform each other and are being closely managed to ensure their collective contribution to the Term of Council Strategic Priorities.

Mode	Improvement Type	2041	2051	City of Vaughan TOTAL
Street Network	Widening and Reconstruction	\$7,700,000	\$66,700,000	\$74,400,000
	New Street Construction	\$-	\$25,100,000	\$25,100,000
	Cycle Track-New Construction	\$-	\$300,000	\$1,800,000
	Colossus Drive Grade Separation	\$193,800,000	\$-	\$193,800,000
	New Signal	\$2,900,000	\$3,400,000	\$6,300,000
Standalone Active Transportation Improvement	MUP-New Construction	\$600,000	\$1,000,000	\$1,600,000
	AT Link-Existing Structure Improvement	\$5,400,000	\$400,000	\$5,400,000
	New AT Crossing over Highway 400	\$-	\$-	\$-
	New AT Crossing over Highway 7	\$-	\$-	\$-
	New Elevator	\$8,000,000	\$-	\$8,000,000
TOTAL		\$218,400,000	\$98,000,000	\$316,400,000

A typographical error in the report of the Interim Deputy City Manager, Planning, Growth Management and Housing Delivery dated May 21, 2025 has been corrected in the last column (**TOTAL**) of the above table indicating the correct total of **\$316,400,000**.

This Transmittal Report has been prepared in collaboration with staff from the Development Engineering (VMC), Policy Planning & Special Programs Department.

Broader Regional Impacts/Considerations

A Technical Advisory Committee comprised of various City departments and other government agencies was established and consulted throughout the duration of the study. Public agencies include York Region, Toronto and Regional Conservation Authority, School Boards, Ministry of Transportation, Infrastructure Ontario, Nav Canada, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, Toronto Transit Commission, Metrolinx and 407 ETR. The purpose of the group is to provide technical advice and insight on key aspects of the study.

Continuous collaboration is an important factor in realizing the success of the VMC. Key recommendations proposed in the VMC Transportation Master Plan will require coordination with regional stakeholders and external agencies to determine their feasibility and advance their design and implementation.

Conclusion

This is a transmittal report from the City Clerk on behalf of the VMC Sub-Committee forwarding recommendations from its meeting of May 21, 2025, for consideration by Committee of the Whole.

For more information, please contact: Todd Coles, City Clerk, ext. 8281.

Attachment

1. Vaughan Metropolitan Centre Transportation Master Plan (May 21, 2025, VMC Sub-Committee meeting agenda item 1).

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