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MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 9

COUNCIL MEETING 1980 02 04

RE: COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN FOR BURNABY

The following report from the Director of Planning contains a current status on discussions that have taken place with regard to a transportation plan for Burnaby.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the report of the Director of Planning be received for information purposes.

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MUNICIPAL MANAGER

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

1980 January 29

FROM:

DIRECTOR OF PLANNING

SUBJECT:

A COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN FOR BURNABY -

DISCUSSIONS WITH THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION AND HIGHWAYS

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this report be received for information purposes.

REPORT

On 1979 December 05, the Mayor, members of the Transportation Committee and senior staff of the Municipality met in Victoria with The Honourable Alex Fraser, Minister of Transportation and Highways, and The Honourable William N. Vander Zalm, Minister of Municipal Affairs, to discuss A Comprehensive Transportation Plan for Burnaby and the implementation strategy for achieving this plan. At that meeting, it was agreed that Municipal and Provincial staff should meet to consider concerns held by the Ministry of Transportation and Highways with regard to the road component of Burnaby's Conceptual Transportation Plan. Municipal staff were requested to report to Council at the end of January 1980 regarding these discussions.

Since the Victoria meeting, Burnaby staff from Planning and Engineering Departments have met on two occasions with representatives of the Planning Branch of the Ministry of Transportation and Highways. At the conclusion of the second meeting, it was agreed that Municipal staff would write to the Ministry summarizing our understanding of the Ministry staff concerns, and that this letter and the Province's response to it would form the basis of a report to Burnaby Council. Therefore as soon as we receive a reply from the Province we will be able to provide Council with a definitive report regarding the position of the Ministry of Transportation and Highways with regard to the Conceptual Transportation Plan.

This is for the information of Council.

A. L. Parr

Director of Planning

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cc: Municipal Engineer