

ITEM 3
MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 19
COUNCIL MEETING 88/03/14

RE: LETTER FROM MS. KATHLEEN MCBURNIE, NO. 206-4141 ALBERT STREET, BURNABY,
BUS STOP SHELTER - BURNABY GENERAL HOSPITAL

MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the recommendtion of the Director Engineering be adopted.

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER 1988 MARCH 08
FROM: DIRECTOR ENGINEERING
SUBJECT: BUS STOP SHELTER - BURNABY GENERAL HOSPITAL

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Kathleen McBurnie, #206 - 4141 Albert Street, Burnaby,
B.C., V5C 2E5 be sent a copy of this report.

R E P O R T

Appearing on the Council Agenda under correspondence is a submission from Kathleen McBurnie, #206 - 4141 Albert Street, Burnaby, B.C. V5C 2E5 regarding the captioned item.

A copy of our 1987 June 19 report to Council regarding the subject item is attached to this report. The information contained in this previous report is unchanged except for the last paragraph. We have completed our evaluation of alternative materials and have found a material which appears to be a suitable replacement for the glass currently used in our shelters.

As Council is aware, through a report on 1988 March 03, we recently suffered over \$10,000 damage to existing bus shelters and are currently getting cost figures for the conversion of 13 existing bus shelters to this new material. The existing two bus shelters in the vicinity of the Hospital are not included in the proposed conversion program as the vandalism rate is very low for these.

We are currently compiling a list of locations where additional non-commercial (Municipal) shelters appear to be warranted for installation. The two additional shelters in the vicinity of the Hospital will be on that list.

DE:dp
cc: Traffic Supervisor
Attach.


DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER 1987 JUNE 19

FROM: DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TRANSIT SHELTERS - BURNABY GENERAL
HOSPITAL

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Kathleen McBurnie be sent a copy of this report.

R E P O R T

There currently exist two non-commercial bus shelters adjacent the Burnaby General Hospital; southbound Ingleton Avenue farside Sunset Street and westbound Kincaid Street farside MacDonald Avenue. These shelters were placed when there was only one bus #28 Smith, serving the Hospital and were placed such that one shelter served each of the two directions and each of the two main entrances to the Hospital.

It was our intent, after the #25 King Edward service went in, to incorporate the two unsheltered stop locations adjacent the hospital with a second program of non-commercial bus shelter installations. This program, however, has been held in abeyance because of the very high and costly vandalism rate. This rate, unfortunately, has been increasing to a point where it is costing almost as much to maintain some of the shelters as it is to install them.

We are in the process of evaluating alternative materials to the glass presently used in order to find a suitable vandal-resistant replacement and we have two test shelters under observation. If our investigations prove to be positive then we will consider expansion of our shelter program and the two locations requested in Ms. McBurnie's letter will be on our priority list for shelter installation. Our investigations should be complete in about six months' time (year end 1987).

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cc: Traffic Supervisor


DIRECTOR ENGINEERING