# THE FORTIETH MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY

C-11 Thursday, October 13, 2005
Tom Davies Square Commencement: 6:07 p.m.

# **DEPUTY MAYOR CRAIG, IN THE CHAIR**

<u>Present</u> Councillors Berthiaume; Bradley; Caldarelli; Callaghan; Dupuis;

Gainer; Gasparini; Kett; Reynolds; Rivest; Thompson

City Officials M. Mieto, Chief Administrative Officer; D. Nadorozny, General

Manager of Growth & Development; A. Stephen, General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services; L. Hayes, CFO/Treasurer; G. Lamothe, Manager of Corporate Communications & French Language Services; P. Thomson, Director of Human Resources & Organization Development; D. Donaldson, Fire Chief; A. Haché, City

Clerk; CJ Caporale, Council Secretary

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

None declared.

"In Camera" 2005-324 Dupuis-Bradley: That we move "In Camera" to deal with

a Property Matter in accordance with Article 15.5 of the City of Greater Sudbury Procedure By-law 2002-202 and the Municipal Act,

2001, s.239(2).

**CARRIED** 

Recess At 7:06 p.m., Council recessed.

Reconvene At 7:10 p.m., Council commenced the regular meeting in the Council

Chamber.

Chair HIS WORSHIP MAYOR DAVID COURTEMANCHE, IN THE CHAIR

Present Councillors Berthiaume; Bradley; Caldarelli; Callaghan; Craig;

Dupuis; Gainer; Gasparini; Kett; Reynolds; Rivest; Thompson

<u>City Officials</u> M. Mieto, Chief Administrative Officer; R. Carré, Acting General

Manager of Community Development; D. Nadorozny, General Manager of Growth & Development; A. Stephen, General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services; C. Hallsworth, Executive Director of Administrative Services; L. Hayes, CFO/Treasurer; R. Swiddle, City Solicitor; G. Clausen, City Engineer; G. Lamothe, Manager of Corporate Communications & French Language Services; I. Davidson, Chief of Police, Greater Sudbury Police Service; J. McKechnie, Executive Assistant to the Mayor; R. Linck, Teacher/United Way Representative; R. Bobiwash, Engineering &

City Officials (continued)

Construction Clerk; P. Demers, Community Relations and Policy Advisor; A. Haché, Acting City Clerk; F. Bortolussi, Planning

Committee Secretary; CJ Caporale, Council Secretary

C.U.P.E.

D. Burke, CUPE National Representative; W. MacKinnon, President,

CUPE Local 4705

Others

R. Bonin, Member of Parliament, Nickel Belt

News Media

Sudbury Star; MCTV; CIGM; Channel 10 News; Northern Life;

Sudbury News Now; Toronto Star

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

None declared.

Moment of Silent

Reflection

Mayor Courtemanche requested that during the moment of silent reflection, the late Ms. Pat Aiken, a former employee of the City of Greater Sudbury, be remembered.

# PRESENTATIONS/DELEGATIONS

Rules of Procedure

Council, by a two-thirds majority, agreed to dispense with the Rules of Procedure and deal with a matter, not on the Agenda, at this time.

INCO/Falconbridge Merger Mayor Courtemanche introduced Mr. Mark Cutifani, President, North American & European Operations, INCO, who gave an electronic presentation entitled *Two Proud Histories, One Great Future: "A New and Stronger Inco"*.

Mr. Cutifani stated that on Monday, October 10, 2005, the Boards of Directors of INCO and Falconbridge approved INCO's acquisition of Falconbridge and INCO will acquire all outstanding shares of Falconbridge, subject to the necessary regulatory approvals. He indicated that INCO will become a metals and mining powerhouse.

Mr. Cutifani indicated that the "New" INCO will be a global leader in nickel and a leading copper company. It will be a larger and more diversified company with outstanding nickel and copper growth prospects and a strong cash flow. He stated that being the world's 8<sup>th</sup> largest producer of copper, there will be the potential to double copper production by 2011. It will be Canada's #1 mining player and Canada's fifth largest non-financial services company.

He indicated that together they will have an exceptional management team and an experienced, committed employee base. He also indicated that there has been \$350 million of annual synergies identified to date by both management teams. They would mix and match Falconbridge processing facilities with INCO

INCO/Falconbridge <u>Merger</u> (continued) feeds and vice versa which would increase nickel smelting capacity and nickel production, reduce working capital, and reduce freight charges.

Mr. Cutifani advised that in the short-term, 100-150 jobs will be affected which will be managed primarily through attrition, but in the long-term, there will be added jobs through mine development and growth. He stated that "new INCO will remain committed to fundamental values both companies hold and live by".

Item 4
Science North

Mr. Jim Marchbank, the CEO of Science North gave an electronic presentation outlining Science North's successes, strategic direction and larger projects being pursued.

He indicated that an independent analysis of the economic impact of Science North on the community regarding operations was conducted by urbanMetrics Inc., and then provided Council with a breakdown of the analysis. He indicated that the direct spending on Science North operations and capital projects was \$16 million/year, the gross impact on the economy was \$33 million/year, and the employment sustained by that economic activity was 346 jobs/year.

Mr. Marchbank outlined statistical facts regarding Science North's accomplishments over the past twenty years indicating that Science North self-generates 69% of its own revenue. He stated that with the loss of provincial operating support, it has reduced their ability to maintain outreach services and science programs.

He provided Council with up and coming traveling exhibits which are produced by Science North and tours across North America. He outlined the expansion of Dynamic Earth and advised that a major announcement of funding from federal and provincial governments, and the private sector for the next phase will be made in the next few months. He also advised that Science North and Sudbury are the third largest Canadian producers of IMAX films, and with their next film, they plan to expand into the distribution of the film and not just produce it. This will build a new business in Sudbury creating new jobs.

Mr. Marchbank indicated that their goal is to become one of Ontario's top four destinations for tourism. He stated that Science North is also a part of developing a City for the creative, curious and adventuresome through film production, exhibit development, learning programs, etc. He also indicated that, education being one of the City's economic igniters, Science North has partnered with Laurentian University to launch a post graduate program in science communication.

# Item 5A United Way Centraide

Mayor Courtemanche introduced Mr. Floyd Laughren, Chair, Mr. Glenn Thibeault, Executive Director and Mr. Murray Bowers, Campaign Director, 2005-2006 United Way Campaign.

Mr. Laughren announced that the 5th Annual Mayor and Councillors' United Way Luncheon will be held on November 23, 2005 and thanked the Mayor and Members of Council for their continued long standing support by providing a Loaned Representative to assist in the annual fundraising efforts. He welcomed Ms. Ruth Anne Linck to her fourth year as the City of Greater Sudbury's Coordinator of the United Way/Centraide campaign 2005.

He provided an update on the six vital program services United Way/Centraide contributes to and upcoming special events.

He stated that the City's contribution has gone from \$33,000 to \$50,000 in the last ten years and the demand for support continues to grow. He indicated that the United Way/Centraide 2005 Campaign goal is \$1,500,000.

Mr. Laughren thanked all the employees of the City of Greater Sudbury for their continued support and contribution.

# Item 5B United Way Employee <u>Campaign</u>

Councillor Ted Callaghan, Member and Mr. Alan Stephen, Chair, CGS Employee Campaign, United Way/Centraide, thanked the Mayor and Members of Council for their support and to consider their level of commitment to United Way this year.

They indicated that this year's campaign is going in a different direction. They will have more people canvassing the workforce and asking for donations face-to-face. They provided Council with a breakdown of the CGS campaign totals and the average employee donation.

Mr. Stephen indicated that the City of Greater Sudbury's 2005 Campaign goal was to reach \$50,000.

# MATTERS ARISING FROM THE "IN CAMERA" SESSION

#### Rise and Report

Deputy Mayor Craig, as Chair of the Committee of the Whole, reported Council met to deal with a Property Matter falling within Article 15.5 of the City of Greater Sudbury Procedural By-law 2002-202 and the Municipal Act, 2001, s.239(2) and one resolution emanated therefrom.

ALERTech The following resolution was again presented:

2005-325 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT the Infrastructure and Emergency Services Department be given authority to proceed with the assumption of ALERTech under the training wing of the City of

Greater Sudbury Fire Services.

**CARRIED** 

Report Requested With the concurrence of Council, Councillor Craig requested that the

General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services prepare a report on the status of Fires Services' Training Facility (ALERTech)

and report back to Council in six months.

# MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PRIORITIES COMMITTEE

Rise and Report Councillor Caldarelli, Chair of the Priorities Committee, reported that

the Priorities Committee met on 2005-10-12 and there were no items

to be brought forward at this time.

# MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PLANNING COMMITTEE

Rise and Report Councillor Thompson, Chair of the Planning Committee, reported

that the Planning Committee met on 2005-10-04 and there were no

items to be brought forward at this time.

# PART I CONSENT AGENDA

Consent Agenda The following resolution was presented to adopt the items contained

in Part I, Consent Agenda:

2005-326 Dupuis-Bradley: THAT Items C-1 to C-21 inclusive,

contained in Part I, Consent Agenda, be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

# **MINUTES**

Item C-1 2005-327 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT Report No. 39, City Council

Report No. 39 Minutes of 2005-09-29 be adopted. City Council

2005-09-29 CARRIED

Item C-2 2005-328 Dupuis-Bradley: THAT Report No. 35, Planning

Report No. 35 Committee Minutes of 2005-10-04 be adopted. Planning Committee

2005-10-04 CARRIED

Item C-3 Report No. 34 Priorities Committee	2005-329 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT Report No. 34, Priorities Committee Minutes of 2005-10-12 be adopted.		
2005-10-12	CARRIED		
Item C-4 Report No. 25 Finance Committee	2005-330 Dupuis-Bradley: THAT Report No. 25, Finance Committee 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session Minutes of 2005-09-26 be adopted.		
<u>2005-09-26</u>	CARRIED		
Item C-5 Budget Input Ward 1	2005-331 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT the Report of the 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session, Ward 1 Minutes of 2005-09-19 be received.		
2005-09-19	CARRIED		
Item C-6 Budget Input Ward 2	2005-332 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT the Report of the 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session, Ward 2 Minutes of 2005-09-19 be received.		
2005-09-19	CARRIED		
Item C-7 Budget Input Ward 3	2005-333 Craig-Bradley: THAT the Report of the 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session, Ward 3 Minutes of 2005-09-19 be received.		
<u>2005-09-19</u>	CARRIED		
Item C-8 Budget Input Ward 4 2005-09-19	2005-334 Callaghan-Craig: THAT the Report of the 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session, Ward 4 Minutes of 2005-09-19 be received.		
2000-03-13	CARRIED		
Item C-9 Budget Input Ward 5 2005-09-19	2005-335 Craig-Caldarelli: THAT the Report of the 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session, Ward 5 Minutes of 2005-09-19 be received.		
<u> </u>	CARRIED		
Item C-10 Budget Input Ward 6 2005-09-19	2005-336 Reynolds-Craig: THAT the Report of the 2006 Budget Public Input and Information Session, Ward 6 Minutes of 2005-09-19 be received.		
2003-09-19	CARRIED		
Item C-11 Report No. 13	2005-337 Craig-Bradley: THAT Report No. 13, Greater Sudbury Public Library Board Minutes of 2005-06-23 be received.		
GSPL Board 2005-06-23	CARRIED		

Item C-12 GSPS Board 2005-06-13	2005-338 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT the Report of the Greater Sudbury Police Services Board Minutes of 2005-06-13 be received.	
2003-00-13	CARRIED	
Item C-13 NDCA 2005-09-21	2005-339 Dupuis-Bradley: THAT the Report of the Nickel District Conservation Authority Board Minutes of 2005-09-21 be received.	
2000 00 21	CARRIED	
Item C-14 TOC 2005-09-26	2005-340 Bradley-Craig: THAT the Report of the Tender Opening Committee Minutes of 2005-09-26 be received.	
2003-03-20	CARRIED	
Item C-15 TOC 2005-10-04	2005-341 Bradley-Berthiaume: THAT the Report of the Tender Opening Committee Minutes of 2005-10-04 be received.	
2003-10-04	CARRIED	
Item C-16 GSHC 2005-08-23	2005-342 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT the Report of the Greater Sudbury Housing Corporation Minutes of 2005-08-23 be received.	
2003-00-23	CARRIED	
Item C-17 Report No. 5 Firearms Task Force	2005-343 Bradley-Berthiaume: THAT Report No. 5, Firearms Regulation Task Force Minutes of 2005-09-21 be received.	
<u>2005-09-21</u>	CARRIED	
Item C-18 Report No. 12 Sudbury Metro Centre		
2005-06-28	CARRIED	
Item C-19 Special Meeting Sudbury Metro Centre	2005-345 Bradley-Berthiaume: THAT the Report of the Special Meeting of the Sudbury Metro Centre Minutes of 2005-09-12 be received.	
2005-09-12	CARRIED	

## **ROUTINE MANAGEMENT REPORTS**

Item C-20 Councillor Dupuis CUTA Report dated 2005-09-29, with attachments, from Councillor Ron Dupuis regarding Endorsement of Councillor Dupuis' Position on the Canadian Urban Transit Association (CUTA) Transit Board Committee for the Term 2005-2006.

The following resolution was presented:

2005-346 Berthiaume-Bradley: THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury endorses Councillor Dupuis' position on the Canadian Urban Transit Association (CUTA) Transit Board Committee for the term 2005-2006.

CARRIED

Item C-21 Councillor Dupuis AFMO Report dated 2005-09-29 from Councillor Ron Dupuis regarding - Endorsement of Councillor Dupuis' Position on the Board of Directors for Association française des municipalités de l'Ontario (AFMO) for the Northern Region was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2005-347 Bradley-Berthiaume: THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury endorses Councillor Dupuis' position on the Board of Directors for the Association française des municipalités de l'Ontario (AFMO) for the term 2005-2006.

**CARRIED** 

# **BY-LAWS**

# THE FOLLOWING BY-LAWS APPEARED FOR THREE READINGS:

2005-244A 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF OCTOBER 13, 2005.

2005-245T 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO APPOINT MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORCE THE PRIVATE PROPERTY AND DISABLED PARKING SECTIONS OF BY-LAW 2001-1 AND FIRE ROUTE BY-LAW 2003-30T.

(This updates the list of Parking Control Officers.)

# **BY-LAWS** (continued)

2004-246P 3 A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO ADOPT AMENDMENT NUMBER 253 OF THE OFFICIAL PLAN FOR THE SUDBURY PLANNING AREA

Planning Committee Recommendation 2005-146

(This Official Plan Amendment is a site specific exemption for the subject property from Section 8.18 f.v) of the Official Plan for the Sudbury Planning Area in order to permit the creation of one residential lot being 0.4 to 0.8 hectares in area with a minimum of 60 m of frontage along an existing public road. Falconbridge Limited / Carole Fraser, 3 Bradley Road, Chelmsford)

1<sup>ST</sup> & 2<sup>ND</sup> Reading 2005-348 Berthiaume-Bradley: THAT By-law 2005-244A to and

including By-law 2005-246P be read a first and second time.

**CARRIED** 

3<sup>RD</sup> Reading 2005-349 Bradley-Dupuis: THAT By-law 2005-244A to and including

By-law 2005-246P be read a third time and passed.

CARRIED

# CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Item C-22 Report dated 2005-10-05, with attachments, from the 2005 Current Budget CFO/Treasurer regarding 2005 Current Budget Variance Report - August was received for information only.

Report Requested With the concurrence of Council, a supplemental report will be

provided to Council detailing Housing Services (reallocation of \$900,000 underexpenditure to be placed in a housing authority account and the new provincial funding model for the benchmarking process), Water/Wastewater Maintenance and parking revenues

from St. Joseph's Health Centre site.

Item C-23Report dated 2005-10-05 from the Executive Director of<br/>Short-TermExecutive Director of<br/>Administrative Services regarding Short-Term Communications Plan

<u>Communications Plan</u> was received for information only.

# PART II REGULAR AGENDA

# MANAGERS' REPORTS

Item R-1 Ad Hoc Committee Summer Road Maintenance Report dated 2005-10-05 from the General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services regarding Formation of Ad Hoc Committee of Council to Review Summer Road Maintenance Service Levels/Standards was received.

Councillor Rivest gave a brief electronic presentation of the road conditions in the City of Greater Sudbury.

The following resolution was presented:

2005-350 Dupuis-Bradley: THAT an Ad Hoc Committee of Council including Councillors Berthiaume, Reynolds and Rivest be formed to review the new summer road maintenance standards currently being prepared by City staff;

AND THAT the Ad Hoc Committee report back to Council by March 2006 with their recommendations for implementation in 2006 within the approved budget;

AND THAT the complete new recommended summer maintenance standards be presented to Council as part of the 2007 budget.

CARRIED

Item R-2 Water Filling Stations Report dated 2005-10-05 from the General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services regarding Development of Water Filling Stations at Strategic Locations within the City of Greater Sudbury was received.

Proceed Past 10:00 p.m.

2005-351 Caldarelli-Berthiaume: THAT we proceed past the hour of 10:00 p.m.

**CARRIED** 

Item R-2 Water Filling Stations The following resolution was presented:

Bradley-Craig: THAT two Water Dispensing Stations be installed in proximity to Countryside Arena and at the Coniston Welcome Centre at a total cost of \$100,000 to be funded from the Capital Financing Reserve Fund - Water;

AND THAT the three existing filling stations at locations described in the report be abandoned, in accordance with the recommendations from the General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services in his report dated October 5, 2005.

C.C. 2005-10-13 (40<sup>TH</sup>)

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## Motion for Deferral

With the concurrence of Council, Councillor Callaghan moved that the foregoing motion be deferred for one month, and that staff prepare a report, in consultation with the Ward Councillors, which would deal with existing "blow off" locations, fees, and new water filling stations separately.

Item R-3 2005-2006 Council <u>Audit</u> Report dated 2005-10-05 from the Executive Director of Administrative Services regarding 2005-2006 Council Audit was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2005-352 Craig-Bradley: THAT Council select **Option 2 (Summer Roads Operations)** for the 2005-2006 Council Audit;

AND THAT staff be directed to negotiate with BMA Management Consultants for the terms of the audit.

# **RECORDED VOTE:**

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Berthiaume Bradley Caldarelli Dupuis Gainer Gasparini Kett Rivest	Callaghan Craig Reynolds Thompson Mayor Courtemanche	
		<b>CARRIED</b>

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# **MOTIONS**

Item R-4 Council Auditor for Other City Services

The following resolution was presented:

Berthiaume-Dupuis: WHEREAS the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury retained the services of an independent auditor to review the City's winter maintenance services, and which audit has been completed;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury once again retain the services of an independent auditor to review other City of Greater Sudbury services, which services are to be determined by an Ad Hoc Committee of Council and for such a period time as advised by the Ad Hoc Committee;

Item R-4
Council Auditor for
Other City Services
(continued)

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council appoint the following Members of Council to an Ad Hoc Committee which will report back to Council by November 30, 2005 with the recommended terms and conditions of such appointment:

AND FURTHER THAT this Committee set out a time line to have the Council Auditor appointed and "in place" by January 20, 2006.

Councillor Berthiaume withdrew the foregoing motion as Item R-3

Motion Withdrawn

Item R-5 The f Gasoline Prices

(2005-2006 Council Audit) dealt with the issue.

The following resolution was presented:

Courtemanche-Bradley: WHEREAS the price of crude oil has grown steadily over the last few months - jumping \$10 US a barrel between June and September:

AND WHEREAS residents of Northern and rural communities are particularly impacted by these increases as the majority of our commodities are trucked considerable distances:

AND WHEREAS those who choose to live and do business in the North are faced with the prospect of substantially higher winter energy costs;

AND WHEREAS municipalities across Canada are facing substantial increases to their operating budgets and capital infrastructure costs as a direct result of increased energy costs;

AND WHEREAS a recent survey conducted by the Canadian Federation of Independent Businesses reported that 88% of businesses said energy prices are now a major cause of concerns for small and medium-sized Canadian companies;

AND WHEREAS the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives, an independent non-partisan research institute concerned with issues of social and economic justice, has determined that the jump in the price of a barrel of oil is being over exaggerated at the pumps and that the increase in the price of oil over the past summer should have resulted in a gas price of about 95 cents per litre, and not the more commonly seen prices of well over \$1 a litre;

# Item R-5 Gasoline Prices (continued)

AND WHEREAS The Honourable Dalton McGuinty, Premier of the Province of Ontario, and others including the Canadian Automobile Association have called on the Competition Bureau to take a look at the issue of price gouging;

AND WHEREAS the Canadian Institute Petroleum Marketers Association has suggested that Ottawa investigate the wholesale pricing practices of big oil companies;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury calls on the Federation of Canadian Municipalities and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario to lodge a complaint with Canada's Competition Bureau to investigate allegations that major oil companies are colluding to artificially fix or raise gasoline prices.

# Friendly Amendment

With the concurrence of the mover, Councillor Craig requested that the last paragraph in the foregoing motion be amended by adding the words "of collusion by" after "allegations" and deleting "are colluding".

# Main Motion (as amended)

2005-353 Courtemanche-Bradley: WHEREAS the price of crude oil has grown steadily over the last few months - jumping \$10 US a barrel between June and September;

AND WHEREAS residents of Northern and rural communities are particularly impacted by these increases as the majority of our commodities are trucked considerable distances;

AND WHEREAS those who choose to live and do business in the North are faced with the prospect of substantially higher winter energy costs;

AND WHEREAS municipalities across Canada are facing substantial increases to their operating budgets and capital infrastructure costs as a direct result of increased energy costs;

AND WHEREAS a recent survey conducted by the Canadian Federation of Independent Businesses reported that 88% of businesses said energy prices are now a major cause of concerns for small and medium-sized Canadian companies;

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Item R-5
Gasoline Prices
(continued)

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**CARRIED** 

# **CIVIC PETITIONS**

# Road Repairs

Councillor Bradley submitted three separate petitions to the City Clerk signed by approximately one hundred thirty (130) residents of Junction Avenue, Laurin Street, and Prevost Street, Azilda which will be forwarded to the General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services. The petitions are requesting that the aforementioned streets be repaired.

# **QUESTION PERIOD**

#### MR 80 Reconstruction

Councillor Dupuis asked the General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services what the status was regarding MR 80 four-laning.

The General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services advised Council that as of tonight, there was a major watermain break on MR 80 which will result in water disruptions for residents of Valley East south of Valley View Road. He indicated that residents of Val Caron, Val Therese, Azilda and Chelmsford may experience red water as a result of the broken watermain. He also indicated that there will be a news release advising residents how to obtain drinking water.

Mr. Stephen indicated that the contract includes four-laning, curb and gutter replacement, sidewalk construction, watermain and storm sewer replacement and advised Council that MR 80, from St. Jean Street to Fifth Street, is scheduled for completion before winter.

Long Lake Road Clover Leaf Construction Councillor Gainer stated that the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) will be constructing a clover-leaf at the intersection of Long Lake Road and Highway 17 starting in 2006. He advised that Rainbow Routes has indicated there is little or no provision for pedestrian traffic on Long Lake Road. They advised him that MTO has considered changing their plans, however, any extra costs associated with the changes would not be covered by MTO. They also indicated that they would take the initiative to see what could be done. Councillor Gainer asked the City Engineer what the financial implications would be.

Mr. Clausen indicated that they have received Rainbow Routes request for funding, and that MTO has completed the final engineering drawings. He indicated that some preliminary work has been done and Rainbow Routes proposal is being reviewed and cost estimates prepared. He advised that a report will be provided to Council in the near future.

Mr. Mieto advised that the MTO will be addressing Council regarding Highway 69 South and MR 80 at the next Council meeting.

# Whitewater Lake Park

Councillor Berthiaume stated that he received numerous complaints from residents who live in the vicinity of Whitewater Lake Park, regarding nuisance campers, disorderly conduct, holding tanks overflowing, etc. He indicated that the Community Development Officer has held a meeting with the residents to look at options for next year. He asked the Acting General Manager of Community Development if a private operator could be hired, and if not, could increased supervision of the campground be an option.

Mr. Carré advised Council that these challenges developed a few years ago when the subdivision was constructed. They have considered creating a buffer between the Park and the residential area such as planting trees. He stated that if an RFP was reissued for a private operator, there may be some interest.

# Blue Box and Garbage Collection Policy

Councillor Craig stated that in some areas blue box and garbage are collected on different days and asked the General Manager of Infrastructure & Emergency Services when this will be changed to a one day collection.

Mr. Stephen advised Council that staff is currently working on this issue and that the target date for completion is 2007. He will discuss this matter with the Director of Solid Waste and advise Council of the date by email.

Sisters of St. Joseph Hospital Site Mayor Courtemanche advised Council that an ad was placed in the Sudbury Star by the Sisters of St. Joseph's requesting Expressions of Interest for future development of the St. Joseph's Health Centre site. He suggested that the City participate in this process pointing out that this site is very special in our community. Mayor Courtemanche, over the next couple of weeks, will put together an Expression of Interest to initiate a process to engage the community. He advised that the deadline for submission was October 28, 2005 and stated that he will report back to Council at the next meeting.

Adjournment

2005-354 Bradley-Berthiaume: THAT this meeting does now adjourn. Time: 10:54 p.m.

**CARRIED** 

Mayor	City Clerk