

Transportation Report February 2011

Please refer back to this page from time to time as I will be using it to update the community on transportation (and transit) projects and issues affecting the community.

Please write me at transportation@manotickvca.org with your concerns and ideas. And if you wish to contribute, we are currently looking for additional sub-committee members.

Thank-you,

Klaus Beltzner, B.Sc., M.Math., M.B.A., Sub-committee Chair

Bridge Street Mid-block Crosswalk Update

Our request for a pedestrian safety island crosswalk on Bridge Street located in front of Juncion's 126 unit Retirement Facility has been considered by the City. At a meeting held January 8th at City Hall, the City and our Ward Councillor, Mr. Scott Moffatt, expressed their support for a signalized mid-block pedestrian crossing and are looking at ways to make that happen.

Van Vliet Extension to Bridge Street Update

This project is under review as more property than originally envisaged and budgeted may need to be purchased by the City. Our Ward Councillor, Mr. Scott Moffat has asked Staff to explore alternatives including revisiting a previous option for an extra set of lights at South River Drive, creating an offset intersection. Your Transportation Chair has a meeting planned with Councillor Moffatt on this and other traffic and transportation issues in Manotick for after Council's budget deliberations.