

### **QUESTIONS TABLED FROM THE FLOOR:**

At Subcouncil meetings, organizations and the general public are welcome to raise a maximum of 2 issues affecting the South Peninsula Subcouncil area of jurisdiction.

You will be given the opportunity to address the Subcouncil for a maximum of three (3) minutes per issue.

Please hand in the completed form to the secretariat  $\pm$  7 days before the meeting.

### **MEETING HELD ON June 2022**

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>ISSUE / TOPIC</u></b></p> <p>We request that the City's next waste collection tender includes "earliest starting time" per household. This is common knowledge to residents and experienced drivers. Changes to routes can usually occur when there is a change in the driver or there is a planning optimiser involved. For the latter condition, we request that the optimiser distribute physical post box notices alerting residents of changes and default to the 06:00 time recommended now. For the former condition, we request that the tender includes knowledge transfer. The lead hand can relay this information, but some replacement drivers will not listen to the experienced lead hand (ranking). Also, some drivers get a wild streak and decide to head off in a different direction. Between tenders, there needs to be a proper handover if a new supplier is being awarded.</p> <p>For residents, the purpose of an earliest starting time for rubbish collections is to dissuade bin pickers. Waste compactor vehicles must not arrive 30 minutes before their normal collection time per household, but obviously may arrive after that time due to bad traffic or vehicle breakdowns.</p>	

As the City no longer practices “task and finish” whereby a team can go home after finishing their route, the number of missed collections and dangerous speeding through the streets should no longer exist. Therefore, this request should be possible.