

# Sparks ignite big grass fire

A massive grass fire ignited by sparks from a passing freight train burned fence posts for two kilometres Friday afternoon.

The Milton Fire Department was notified shortly before 5 p.m. that a huge grass fire had erupted along the tracks from east of Ninth Line to Tremaine Road.

Smoke billowed through the air along the path of

the tracks.

The Mississauga Fire Department handled the fire east of Ninth Line while the Milton Fire Department knocked down the blaze to the west.

Two hours later the job was done.

"If the grass is dry it will race all the way along," said Milton Captain Mark Cross.

# Krantz wants issues resolved

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dizing transportation in other areas of the region," he said.

Oakville Councillor Stephen Sparling wondered at the timing of Mr. Gonnson's appearance before council.

"We do everything on a priority basis," he said. "When we were spending tens of thousands of dollars on expansion in Burlington you didn't have a problem, but you have a problem when we turn our focus somewhere else?"

Mr. Krantz took exception to a suggestion that council may be too hasty in looking to approve the bylaw already.

"You state that this is premature. I wonder when, in your view, we may mature," he asked. "At the risk of boring the hell out of my colleagues, this has been going on for a dozen years. When will we mature?"

Burlington Councillor Jack Dennison thought a 60-day delay might manage it.

"I have sympathy that the approval of HUSP and the development charges should include transportation," he said. "I don't really feel that a 60-day delay would

be the end of the world."

It wouldn't help much, either, said Halton's planning and public works director Pat Murphy.

## Murphy warns of delay

"The 60 days represents a real delay in project completion," he said. "If we don't start projects now we won't be able to guarantee construction by June, 2000, which we'd like to."

A separate development charges bylaw for transportation will come before council in June.

Council shouldn't hesitate to approve the current bylaw, said Oakville Councillor Kathy Graham.

"Any delay will send the wrong message to the development community," she said. "I think we've worked very hard to find something we can all agree with. I'd certainly encourage that we move forward on this."

Milton Councillor Barry Lee expressed some confusion over the purpose of all the debate.

"I don't know what we're looking for under the mat here," he said. "It has been 12 years and I haven't found anything. Let's get on with it."

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