

CONDENSED AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, MARCH 4, 2013, AT 6:00 P.M.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

PUBLIC ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

MATTERS REQUIRING PUBLIC NOTICE

4a) Median Modifications on Preston Avenue at Dumont Crescent
(File No. CK 6320-5)

The following is a report of the General Manager, Infrastructure Services Department dated February 20, 2013:

“RECOMMENDATION: that the median opening located at Preston Avenue and Dumont Crescent be modified to only allow southbound U-turns, as shown on Attachment 1.

TOPIC AND PURPOSE

This report is to obtain approval for modifications to the median opening located at the intersection of Preston Avenue and Dumont Crescent.

REPORT HIGHLIGHTS

1. During the comprehensive review of the Preston Avenue Corridor, it was identified that the existing median at Preston Avenue and Dumont Crescent should be partially closed for safety reasons, due to the proximity of the location to the new Circle Drive South interchange at Preston Avenue.
2. The modified median opening will accommodate vehicles needing to make a U-turn to access the on-street parking on the east side of Preston Avenue.
3. Residents on Dumont Crescent, west of Preston Avenue, will still have access in and out of the neighbourhood via Wilson Crescent.

STRATEGIC GOALS

The recommended median modification at Preston Avenue and Dumont Crescent supports the City of Saskatoon Strategic Goal, Moving Around, as it will optimize the flow of people and goods in and around the city.

BACKGROUND

The City of Saskatoon recently concluded a comprehensive review of the Preston Avenue Corridor (between 14th Street and Circle Drive South). The review identified that the existing median at Preston Avenue and Dumont Crescent should be partially closed to only allow southbound U-turns, due to its proximity to the new Circle Drive South interchange at Preston Avenue.

REPORT

In order to ensure motorists' safety, it is recommended that the median opening located at Preston Avenue and Dumont Crescent be partially closed to only allow southbound U-turns, as shown on Attachment 1. This median modification is required due to the close proximity of the intersection to the new Circle Drive South interchange. Due to an increase in traffic volume along Preston Avenue, from Stonebridge and also from traffic entering Preston Avenue from Circle Drive, the modifications will ensure adequate sight lines and stopping distance to ensure safe movements along Preston Avenue. In addition, modifications are being made to the northbound through lanes to provide proper transition from the interchange to the existing lanes of Preston Avenue.

The modified median opening will accommodate vehicles needing to make a U-turn to access the on-street parking on the east side of Preston Avenue. Residents on Dumont Crescent, west of Preston Avenue, will still have viable access in and out of the neighbourhood via Wilson Crescent, where improvements are also being made to improve access and safety.

OPTIONS TO THE RECOMMENDATION

No other options were considered.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

There are no policy implications.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

The estimated cost to modify the median is approximately \$80,000. There are sufficient funds within Capital Project 0993 – Circle Drive South.

PUBLIC AND/OR STAKEHOLDER INVOLVEMENT

A public open house was held in March 2011 to obtain input into existing concerns along the Preston Avenue Corridor (between 14th Street and Circle Drive South). The open house was well attended, with approximately 175 participants filling out comment forms and notes.

Flyers were sent to residents in close proximity to this median modification notifying them of the impending changes. No opposition has been received.

COMMUNICATION PLAN

Should the recommendation be approved, the Administration will work with the Communications Branch to develop an informational program for residents, prior to the modification of the median at Dumont Crescent. In addition, the City's website will be updated and public service announcements will be released.

DUE DATE FOR FOLLOW-UP AND/OR PROJECT COMPLETION

The median modification is part of the Circle Drive South Project, and with City Council's approval, is scheduled for completion prior to the Preston Avenue Interchange opening in late summer of 2013.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications.

PRIVACY IMPACT

There are no privacy implications.

SAFETY/CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN (CPTED)

A CPTED review is not required.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice, pursuant to Section 3b) of Policy C01-021, The Public Notice Policy, is required for consideration of this matter. The following notice was given:

- Advertised in the StarPhoenix on the weekend of February 23, 2013;
- Posted on the City Hall Notice Board on Friday, February 22, 2013; and
- Posted on the City of Saskatoon website on Friday, February 22, 2013.

Flyers have been delivered to the residents affected by the proposed modifications.

ATTACHMENT

1. Copy of Public Notice.”

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES AND CITY MANAGER

REPORT NO. 1-2013 OF THE MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION

1. **Development Plan and Zoning Bylaw Review
Capital Project No. 2167 – Project Update
Applicant: Community Services Department
(File No. CK. 4350-62)**

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) that City Council approve the required advertising for the proposed amendments to the Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 8769 as described in the January 25, 2013 report of the General Manager, Community Services Department;
- 2) that the General Manager, Community Services Department be requested to prepare the required notice for advertising the amendments to the Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 8769;
- 3) that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the required bylaw; and

- 4) that at the time of the public hearing, City Council consider the Municipal Planning Commission's recommendation that the amendments to the Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 8769 be approved.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT NO. 4-2013

Section A - Community Services

- A1) **Land Use Applications Received by the Community Services Department
For the Period Between January 31, 2013 and February 20, 2013
(For Information Only)
(Files CK. 4000-5; PL. 4132, PL. 4115, PL. 4350, and PL. 4300)**
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RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

Section B - Corporate Services

- B1) **City of Saskatoon Business Development Incentives Policy
Statistics Report to December 31, 2012
(Files CK. 3500-13 and CS. 3500-1)**
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RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

Section E - Infrastructure Services

- E1) **TCU Place Fire Suppression Project
(File No. CK. 620-3)**
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RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

- E2) **2013 Snow Melt Management
(Files CK. 7560-1 and IS. 7560-1)**
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RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT NO. 3-2013

Section A - Office of the City Clerk

- A1) **2012 Municipal Election
Disclosure of Contributions and Expenses – Candidates for Mayor
(File No. CK. 255-5-1)**
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RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

Section B - Office of the City Solicitor

REPORT NO. 3-2013 OF THE PLANNING AND OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

1. **2012 Annual Report – Traffic Safety Committee
(File No. CK. 430-59)**
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RECOMMEDATION: that the information be received.

2. **Littering Enforcement
(File No. CK. 5000-1)**
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RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) that the Memorandum of Agreement be amended to provide Community Support Officers with the authority to enforce *The Anti-Dumping Bylaw*; and
- 2) that the Administration be requested to review and report on the feasibility of including enforcement of the Sidewalk Clearing Bylaw by Community Support Officers with appropriate consultation with the Business Improvement Districts.

3. **Application for Funding Under the Heritage Conservation Program
609 King Street
(Files CK. 710-48 and PL. 907)**
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RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) that the owners of 609 King Street receive a tax abatement through the Heritage Conservation Program for a maximum of \$1,000, to be paid out in 2013, subject to administrative conditions; and

- 2) that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the appropriate agreement and that His Worship and Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to execute the agreements under the Corporate Seal.

4. Community Support Program – Pilot Project Update
(Files CK. 5000-1 and PL. 5400-125)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

5. Downtown Housing Incentives – The Riviera – 322 6th Avenue North
(Files CK. 750-4 and PL. 4130-18)

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that a five-year tax abatement of 25 percent of the annual property taxes for 322 6th Avenue North be applied commencing the next taxation year following completion of the project; and
 - 2) that the City Solicitor be instructed to prepare the appropriate agreement, and that His Worship the Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to execute the agreement under the Corporate Seal.

6. Designation of South West Off Leash Recreation Area and
Amendment to the Animal Control Bylaw No. 7860
(Files CK. 4205-1 and LS. 4205-17)

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that 14.5 acres within Richard St. Barbe Baker Afforestation Area, south west of the Montgomery neighbourhood, be designated as an Off-Leash Recreation Area; and
 - 2) that the City Solicitor be instructed to amend the Animal Control Bylaw, 1999, Bylaw No. 7860, to establish 14.5 acres of Block C, Plan No. 101398811 as a designated off-leash area.

REPORT NO. 4-2013 OF THE ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. **2013 Tag Days**
(Files CK. 200-3 and CS.200-3)

RECOMMENDATION: that the applications for the 2013 Tag Days be approved.

2. **Establishment of Self-Financing Building Reserve**
for 325 – 3rd Avenue North
(Files CK.1815-1 x 600-28 and LA.4225-010-3)

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) that City Council authorize the creation of a building maintenance and operating reserve for the City-owned building located at 325 - 3rd Avenue North as per the criteria detailed in the report of the City Manager dated February 13, 2013;
- 2) that the remaining \$34,689 previously allocated for building improvements at 325 - 3rd Avenue North under Capital Project 2177 be transferred into the proposed reserve;
- 3) that the remaining \$233,000 previously allocated for furniture and equipment at 325 - 3rd Avenue North and City Hall be transferred into Capital Project 1949 – Civic Accommodation planning; and
- 4) that Council Policy No. C03-003, Reserves for Future Expenditures, be updated.

3. **Billboard License Agreement Renewal – Pattison and CBS**
(Files CK.4225-1 and LA.4225-00-1 and 4225-011-1)

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) that City Council approve two Licence Agreement renewals, with the terms as set out in the report of the City Manager dated February 13, 2013, between the City of Saskatoon and Pattison Outdoor Advertising Limited Partnership and CBS Canada Holdings Co., for a total of 12 billboard poster faces for a term of five years (January 1, 2013, to December 31, 2017); and

- 2) that the City Solicitor be requested to have the appropriate agreements executed by His Worship the Mayor and the City Clerk, under the Corporate Seal.

4. Earth Hour 2013
(Files CK.375-4 and WT.205-5)

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that the City of Saskatoon participate in Earth Hour 2013 in the manner outlined in the report of the General Manager, Utility Services Department dated February 6, 2013; and
 - 2) that free transit service be offered the evening of March 23, 2013, commencing at 6:00 p.m. until approximately 1:00 a.m., to further support the City's climate protection initiatives.

5. 2013 Membership Renewal, South Saskatchewan River Watershed Stewards Incorporated
(Files CK.225-1 and WT.155-01)

- RECOMMENDATION:** that the City of Saskatoon renew membership with the South Saskatchewan River Watershed Stewards Incorporated (SSRWSI) by paying the 2013 membership fee of \$20,000.

6. Wastewater Sewer Use Policy, Bylaw and Regulatory Framework
(Files CK.7820-3 and IS.7821-4)

- RECOMMENDATION:** that the new Sewer Use Bylaw and related permitting policy be postponed beyond the effective date of July 1, 2013 to accommodate education programs with affected businesses.

7. Proposed Amendment to Bylaw 7200, The Traffic Bylaw U-Turn Restrictions in School Zones
(Files CK.6320-1 and IS.6332-1)

- RECOMMENDATION:** that the City Solicitor be instructed to amend Bylaw 7200, The Traffic Bylaw, to prohibit vehicles from making a U-Turn in school zones, when the school zones are active.

REPORT NO. 2-2013 OF THE LAND BANK COMMITTEE

**1. Purchase Agreement and Direct Sale to Jancy Holdings Ltd.
Hudson Bay Industrial Area
(File No. CK. 4215-1)**

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that approval be granted for the direct sale of Lot 19, Block 864, Plan 84S41976, 525 – 52nd Street East, to Jancy Holdings Ltd., for the purpose of facilitating the expansion of their current operations; and
 - 2) that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the Direct Sale Agreement and that His Worship the Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to execute the Agreement under the Corporate Seal.

**2. Request to Sell City-Owned Property – Mount Royal Neighbourhood
(File No. CK. 4125-1)**

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that the Land Bank Manager be authorized to sell Lot 18, Block 35, Plan No. G173 and Lot 39, Block 35, Plan No. To be Registered as a pair, to the highest bidder, through a public tender process, with a reserve bid price;
 - 2) that if the lots are not sold through the tender process, they be placed for sale over-the-counter on a first-come, first-served basis;
 - 3) that the Land Bank Manager be authorized to administer development controls for the two lots; and
 - 4) that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the sales agreement and that His Worship the Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to execute the agreement under the Corporate Seal.

3. **Exchange of Land Between the City of Saskatoon
and City Life Investment Corporation – Evergreen Neighbourhood
(File No. CK. 4110-41)**

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the appropriate agreement required to implement the Evergreen land exchange, as outlined in the attached report; and
 - 2) that His Worship the Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to execute the agreement under the Corporate Seal.

REPORT NO. 5-2013 OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. **Transit Message Boards
(File No. CK 1402-3)**

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

2. **Parking Infrastructure Upgrade and
City Card Replacement
AND
Parking Policy
(File No. CK 6120-3)**

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that the attached Request for Expression of Interest (REOI) (Attachment 1) for the parking infrastructure upgrade, including the following parameters, be approved:
 - a) that all parking meter technologies be acceptable solutions to the infrastructure upgrade, including single space and multi-space meter systems;
 - b) that cash and smart card (City Card) be required methods of payment for parking, and that additional payment options, such as cell phone and credit card, be considered;

- c) that, if required, proposals include communication costs and communication infrastructure costs;
 - d) that the vendor clarify whether or not the display of unused time for use by another party is an option, and what the implications might be;
 - e) that pricing must be lump sum, with a payment schedule based on a maximum cash payment of \$950,000 in 2013, and annual payments thereafter based on actual revenues, with no impact to existing programs;
 - f) the retention of the Corps of Commissionaires for the supply of parking enforcement services for the remainder of their five-year contract (end of 2015);
 - g) the provision of a minimum of two stand alone parking stations, which allow, at a minimum, the ability to pay for parking tickets and to purchase City Card Time; and
 - h) the ability to dispute parking tickets online;
- 2) that the Administration report back with the results of the Request for Expression of Interest; and
 - 3) that City Council, in its discretion, choose solutions that are in the best interests of the City, for inclusion in the Request for Proposals.

**3. Lease of City-Owned Space at 325 - 3rd Avenue North
Royal Thai Restaurant Ltd. Bay No. 2
(File No. CK 600-3)**

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that a Lease Agreement Renewal, with the terms as set out in the following report; between the City of Saskatoon and Royal Thai Restaurant Ltd. for Bay No. 2 in the City-owned building located at 325 - 3rd Avenue North, for a term of ten years, three months, (April 1, 2013, to June 30, 2023) be approved; and

- 2) that the City Solicitor be requested to have the appropriate agreements executed by His Worship the Mayor and the City Clerk, under the Corporate Seal.

4. Travel Expenses and Car Allowance – Members of Council
(File No. CK 1970-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

5. Saskatoon Gallery and Conservatory Corporation Board of Trustees and Remai Art Gallery of Saskatchewan Board of Directors
(File No. CK 175-27)

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that Council's appointments made in December, 2012 of Ms. Linda Langille and Mr. Dennis Yee to the Art Gallery of Saskatchewan Board for 2013 to 2015 be revoked; and
 - 2) that Bylaw No. 1 of The Saskatoon Gallery and Conservatory Corporation be amended to allow for term extensions in special circumstances and that the City Solicitor be requested to do all such things as are necessary to formally implement same.

6. Terms of Reference – Visual Arts Placement Jury
(File No. CK 175-44)

RECOMMENDATION: that the Terms of Reference of the Visual Arts Placement Jury be amended to reflect representation of the Meewasin Valley Authority rather than the Meewasin Valley Authority's Design Advisory Committee.

7. SUMA Board of Directors – City's Representatives – Alternate Member
(File No. CK 155-3)

RECOMMENDATION: that Councillor Oluson be designated as an alternate member to the Saskatchewan Urban Municipalities Association Board of Directors for 2013

**8. Appointment – Board of Revision and License Appeal Board
(File No. CK 175-6)**

RECOMMENDATION: that the following be appointed to the Board of Revision and License Appeal Board for 2013:

Ms. Maria Lynn Freeland
Mr. Randy Pangborn (Alternate member)

**9. Appointment – Mortgage Appeals Board/Access Transit Appeals Board
(File No. CK 175-16)**

RECOMMENDATION: that Leslee Harden be appointed to the Mortgage Appeals Board and Access Transit Appeals Board to the end of 2014.

**10. Appointment – Advisory Committee on Animal Control
(File No. CK 225-9)**

RECOMMENDATION: that the following be appointed to the Advisory Committee on Animal Control for 2013:

Andrea Ziegler
Edward Hudson

COMMUNICATIONS TO COUNCIL (Section B, C, and D only)

**1) K.L. Wallace, Lieutenant-Commander, Commanding Officer
Her Majesty's Canadian Ship UNICORN, dated January 30**

Requesting to exercise Freedom of the City by holding a parade and flag raising to commemorate the anniversary of The Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve.
(File No. CK. 205-1)

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) that approval be granted for a parade subject to any Administrative conditions;
- 2) that the flag raising be approved subject to any Administrative conditions; and
- 3) that the request for representation at the event be referred to the Office of the Mayor.

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2) Allan and Iris Solie, dated January 15

Commenting on seniors and poverty. (File No. CK. 1910-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

**3) Jennie Weselowsky, Committee Chair,
Earth Day Festival 2013, dated February 11**

Requesting an extension to the time amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw, on April 22, 2013, from 3:30 to 9:00 p.m. for Earth Day Festival being held at the Farmers' Market Square. (File No. CK. 185-9)

RECOMMENDATION: that the request for an extension to the time amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw, on April 22, 2013, from 3:30 to 9:00 p.m. for Earth Day Festival being held at the Farmers' Market Square be granted.

4) Carmen Bell, Race Director, Subaru Saskatoon Triathlon, dated February 11

Relaying information about an event being held this summer. (File No. CK. 205-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

5) Harminder Pandher, dated February 12

Requesting permission to hold a parade in Willowgrove on June 2, 2013.
(File No. CK. 205-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the request to hold a parade in Willowgrove on June 2, 2013, be approved subject to any administrative conditions.

6) Scott Ward, Race Director, Color Me Rad 5K, dated February 13

Requesting permission to hold a 5K Color Me Rad event on September 7, 2013. (File No. CK. 205-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the request to hold a 5K Color Me Rad event on September 7, 2013, be approved subject to any administrative conditions.

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7) Michael Fougere, Mayor, City of Regina, dated February 5

Requesting City Council proclaim March 21, 2013 as World Poetry Day and April 2013 as National Poetry Month and extending invitation to 2013 Mayor's Poetry City Challenge. (File No. Ck. 205-5)

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that City Council proclaim March 21, 2013 as World Poetry Day and April 2013 as National Poetry Month; and
 - 2) that the direction of Council issue regarding the Mayor's Poetry Challenge.

8) Maggie Lens, Senior Coordinator, Saskatoon Fundraising MS Society of Canada – Saskatchewan Division, dated February 12

Requesting permission to extend the time where amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw on Sunday, April 28, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., at Archibald Arena for Saskatchewan Blue Cross MS Walk. (File No. CK. 185-9)

- RECOMMENDATION:** that the request to extend the time where amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw on Sunday, April 28, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., at Archibald Arena for Saskatchewan Blue Cross MS Walk be granted.

9) Gregg Bamford, President, WakeRide Association Inc. Kara Lackie, Project Manager, On Purpose Leadership, dated February 15

Requesting permission to extend the time where amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw on Friday, July 5, 2013 to 11:30 p.m., Saturday, July 6, 2013 to 11:30 p.m., and Sunday, July 7, 2013 to 9:30 p.m., at Victoria Park and River Landing II for the fifth annual WakeRide event. (File No. 185-9)

- RECOMMENDATION:** that the request to extend the time where amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw on Friday, July 5, 2013 to 11:30 p.m., Saturday, July 6, 2013 to 11:30 p.m., and Sunday, July 7, 2013 to 9:30 p.m. at Victoria Park and River Landing II for the fifth annual WakeRide event be approved subject to any administrative conditions.

10) Donna Boyce, Coordinator, HOPE Cancer Help Centre Inc, dated February 15

Requesting an extension to the time where amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw on Saturday, April 28, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at River Landing in conjunction with the walk/run fundraiser for the HOPE Cancer Help Centre.

(File No. CK. 185-9)

RECOMMENDATION: that the request for an extension to the time where amplified sound can be heard under the Noise Bylaw on Saturday, April 28, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at River Landing in conjunction with the walk/run fundraiser for the HOPE Cancer Help Centre be approved subject to any administrative conditions.

11) Angela Wallman, Finance and Personnel Officer, Tourism Saskatoon, dated February 15

Submitting the un-audited financial statement for Tourism Saskatoon for the year 2012.
(File No. CK. 1610-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

12) Tiffany Koback, President, Saskatoon Pets in the Park Inc., dated February 26

Requesting permission to allow animals in Kiwanis Memorial Park and an extension to the time where amplified sound can be heard, under the Noise Bylaw, on Sunday, July 7, 2013 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in conjunction with the eighth annual Pets in the Park event.
(File No. CK. 185-9.)

RECOMMENDATION: that the request to allow animals in Kiwanis Memorial Park and an extension to the time where amplified sound can be heard, under the Noise Bylaw, on Sunday, July 7, 2013 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Pets in the Park event be approved, subject to any administrative conditions.

13) Shellie Bryant, Secretary, Development Appeals Board, dated February 8

Submitting Notice of Hearing of the Development Appeals Board regarding the property located at 216 Avenue E North. (File No. CK. 4352-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

14) Shellie Bryant, Secretary, Development Appeals Board, dated February 11

Submitting Notice of Hearing of the Development Appeals Board regarding the property located at 475 2nd Avenue South. (File No. CK. 4352-1)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

C. ITEMS WHICH HAVE BEEN REFERRED FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION

1) Cathie Kryzanowski, General Manager, Saskatchewan *in motion*, undated

Issuing challenge to communities to engage in physical activities. (File No. CK. 205-1)
(Referred to Administration for appropriate action.)

2) Lori Prostebby, dated February 7

Commenting on methadone dispensing facility. (File No. CK. 3000-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

3) June Gawdun, Executive Director, Saskatoon Council on Aging dated February 7

Advising of relocation of Saskatoon Council on Aging to the Field House. (File No. CK. 612-1) **(Referred to Administration for information and any further follow-up that may be required.)**

4) Robert Chapman, dated February 8

Commenting on a parking ticket and damage to a vehicle. **(File No. CK. 6120-1)**
(Referred to Administration for further handling and response to the writer.)

5) Rob Westfield, dated February 10

Suggesting Optimist Park be renamed Westfield Optimist Park. **(File No. CK. 4205-1)**
(Referred to Administration for further handling.)

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6) Kaitlyn Jackson, dated February 11

Commenting on snow removal in Hampton Village. (File No. CK. 6290-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

7) James Glennie, dated February 11

Commenting on a recent cycling incident. (File No. CK. 6002-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

8) Louise Jones, Chair, Northeast Swalewatchers, dated February 12

Commenting on city development in University Heights. (Files CK. 4131-5, x 4110-38) **(Referred to Saskatoon Environmental Advisory Committee for further handling.)**

9) Shelley Hepp, dated February 14

Commenting on snow accumulation in front of St. Bernard School. (File No. CK. 6290-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

10) Sharla Daviduik, dated February 15

Commenting on snow accumulation on the median on Victoria Avenue. (File No. CK. 6290-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

11) Kelly Donald, dated February 16

Commenting on snow accumulation on sidewalks. (File No. CK. 6290-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

12) Tom Jones, dated February 17

Commenting on overtime pay for city employees. (File No. CK. 150-1) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

13) Frank Regier, dated February 19

Requesting information regarding the diverter on Avenue C and 38th Street. (File No. CK. 6320-1) **(Referred to the Administration and Finance Committee.)**

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14) T. Leedahl, dated February 21

Commenting on needle exchange program in Mayfair neighborhood. (File No. CK. 3000-1)
(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)

15) Craig Allan, dated February 21

Commenting on snow clearing on sidewalks on 3rd Avenue. (File No. CK. 6290-1)
(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)

16) Susan Mak, dated February 21

Requesting Council to re-consider the application of reduced speed limits for school zones. (File No. CK. 5200-5) **(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)**

17) Dawn Knippel, dated February 24

Commenting on garbage and recycling pickup in Sutherland. (File No. CK. 7830-3)
(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)

18) Calvin Thoen, dated February 26

Commenting on two hour parking in the north industrial area. (File No. CK. 6120-2)
(Referred to Administration for response to the writer.)

19) Lori Prostebby, dated February 26

Commenting on needle exchange/methadone program. (File No. CK. 3000-1) **(Referred to Administration for further handling.)**

20) Letters Received with Respect to Contract for Library Workers
(File No. CK. 4720-1)

Len Findlay, dated February 8

Kelly Harrington, President, Saskatoon & District Labour Council,
dated February 11

(Referred to Saskatoon Public Library Board for further handling.)

RECOMMENDATION: that the information be received.

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D. PROCLAMATIONS

- 1) Alexandra Limousin, Project Manager, Canadian Association of Nurses in Oncology, dated January 31**

Requesting City Council proclaim April 2, 2013 as Canadian Oncology Nursing Day. (File No. CK. 205-5)

- 2) Sandy Weyland, Chair, Saskatchewan Federation of Labour Shift Work Committee, dated February 5**

Requesting City Council proclaim March 20, 2013 as Shift Work Recognition Day. (File No. CK. 205-5)

- 3) Evelyne Tucker-Lloyd, Board Member, Lymphedema Association of Saskatchewan Inc., dated February 11**

Requesting City Council proclaim March 6, 2013 as Lymphedema Day. (File No. CK. 205-5)

- 4) Robert Sansom, President, Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating - Saskatchewan Region, dated February 4
and
John Baker, President, Mechanical Contractors Association of Saskatchewan Inc., dated February 19**

Requesting City Council proclaim March 11, 2013 as World Plumbing Day. (File No. CK. 205-5)

- 5) Harold W. Becker, Founder/President, The Love Foundation, Inc., dated February 6**

Requesting City Council proclaim May 1, 2013 as Global Love Day. (File No. 205-5)

- 6) Kelly Harrington, President, Saskatoon & District Labour Council, dated February 14**

Requesting City Council proclaim April 28, 2013 as Annual Day of Mourning. (File No. CK. 205-5)

7 James Gilchrist, WOOD '13 Publicity/Sponsorship Coordinator,
Saskatchewan Woodworkers' Guild, dated February 25

Requesting City Council proclaim the week of May 26 – June 1, 2013 as Wood Workers' Week. (File No. CK. 205-5).

- RECOMMENDATION:**
- 1) that City Council approve all proclamations as set out in Section D; and
 - 2) that the City Clerk be authorized to sign the proclamations, in the standard form, on behalf of City Council.

QUESTION AND ANSWER PERIOD

MATTERS OF PARTICULAR INTEREST

ENQUIRIES

MOTIONS

GIVING NOTICE

INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF BYLAWS

COMMUNICATIONS TO COUNCIL

(Section A – Requests to Speak to Council on new issues)

1) Harold Martens, Chair, South Saskatchewan River Watershed Stewards Inc.,
dated February 25

Requesting permission to address City Council with respect to the City of Saskatoon's membership renewal with the South Saskatchewan River Watershed Stewards Inc. (File No. CK. 225-1)

- RECOMMENDATION:** that Clause 5, Report No. 4-2013 of the Administration and Finance Committee be considered and that Harold Martens be heard.