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DATE: NOVEMBER 11, 2019

TO: MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

FROM: TODD COLES, CITY CLERK

RE: COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (2) – NOVEMBER 12, 2019
ITEM NO. 7
USE OF CORPORATE RESOURCES FOR ELECTION PURPOSES
POLICY

Purpose

To recommend the addition of a definition for “Public Official” to the proposed Use of Corporate Resources for Election Purposes Policy.

Recommendation

1. That the following definition be included in the Use of Corporate Resources for Election Purposes Policy:

“Public Official: An elected office holder including a Member of Parliament, Member of Provincial Parliament, member of a municipal council or a school board trustee.”

Background

Through consultation with various stakeholders, it has been identified that the draft policy does not include a definition for Public Official. Public Officials are referenced in Section 3.2 of the Use of Corporate Resources for Election Purpose Policy with respect to making remarks at City events, in their official capacity. For reasons of clarity, a definition of Public Official will ensure that there is no confusion as to who is considered a Public Official for the purposes of applying the policy.

Conclusion

A definition of a Public Official was not included in the draft Use of Corporate Resources for Election Purpose Policy. It is recommended that a definition be included to ensure a clear and consistent application of the policy.

For more information, contact Evan Read, Manager, Elections and Special Projects, ext. 8241

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "T. Coles".

Todd Coles
City Clerk