



Member Motion - REVISED

City Council

Notice of Motion

MM52.5	ACTION			Ward: All
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Funding of City-run programs in Toronto District School Board Pools - by Councillor Stintz, seconded by Councillor Ford

** Notice of this Motion has been given.*

** This Motion is subject to referral to the Community Development and Recreation Committee. A two thirds vote is required to waive referral.*

Recommendations

Councillor Stintz, seconded by Councillor Ford, recommends that:

1. City Council authorize the General Manager of Parks Forestry and Recreation to enter into discussions with the TDSB regarding the continued use of School pools beyond the term of the current agreement.
2. The General Manager of Parks Forestry and Recreation report to the Community Development and Recreation Committee in 2011, in early 2011 on Pool Governance Committee Report, Recommended Governance and Fiscal Model for TDSB Pools, Toronto Lands Corporation August, 2010; and on the current Swim to Survive Program, with a strategy for possible expansion to enable all grade 4 children in the City of Toronto to learn basic drowning prevention skills.

Summary

Currently the City of Toronto runs community programs in 33 pools located in Toronto District School Board (TDSB) schools under a letter of understanding expiring in 2011. The City needs to confirm its commitment to continue operating programs at these sites beyond 2011. As well, the City needs to commit to full participation in the work of the Toronto Lands Corporation's Pools Governance Sub-Committee and Aquatics Working Group so that all residents of Toronto can enjoy access to training in water safety and aquatics recreation opportunities.

The current lease agreement covers the following schools:

Bedford Park Junior Public School
Bowmore Road Junior and Senior Public School
Brown Junior Public School and City Community Centre
D A Morrison Middle School
Duke of Connaught Junior and Senior Public School

Earl Beatty Junior and Senior Public School and Community Centre
Frankland Community Junior School and Community Centre
Glen Ames/Williamson Road Junior Public School
Gordon A Brown Middle School
Hillcrest Junior Public School and City Community Centre
Parkdale Junior and Senior Public School
Swansea Junior and Senior Public School
Albert Campbell Collegiate Institute
Bendale Business and Technology Institute
Cedarbrae Collegiate Institute
CW Jefferys Collegiate Institute
Don Mills Collegiate Institute
Emery Collegiate Institute
Georges Vanier Secondary School
L'Amoreaux Collegiate Institute
Lester B Pearson Collegiate Institute
Nelson A Boylen Collegiate Institute
Northview Heights Secondary School
Runnymede Collegiate Institute
Sir Oliver Mowat Collegiate Institute
Sir Wilfrid Laurier Collegiate Institute
Vaughan Road Academy
Victoria Park Secondary School
West Hill Collegiate Institute
Weston Collegiate Institute
Wexford Collegiate Institute
York Memorial Collegiate Institute
York Mills Collegiate Institute

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