

## **Appointment of a Public Member to the Toronto Local Appeal Body**

**Date:** December 9, 2016  
**To:** Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel  
**From:** City Clerk  
**Wards:** All

### **SUMMARY**

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The Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel must recommend one candidate to City Council for appointment to the Toronto Local Appeal Body following the withdrawal of a candidate who is currently being recommended for appointment.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The City Clerk recommends that:

1. The Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel recommend one candidate for appointment to the Toronto Local Appeal Body, at pleasure of Council, for a term of office commencing December 13, 2016 and ending on December 13, 2020, and submit a revised slate of 7 public members for consideration by City Council at their meeting held December 13 - 14, 2016.

### **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

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There are no financial implications arising from this report.

### **DECISION HISTORY**

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On December 2, 2016, the Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel recommended a total of 7 candidates for appointment to the Toronto Local Appeal Body:  
<http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaItemHistory.do?item=2016.XV4.1>.

## COMMENTS

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### **A candidate has chosen to withdraw from the appointments process**

On December 9, 2016, the City Clerk's Office received an email from Nicole Treksler, a candidate recommended by the Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel for appointment to the Toronto Local Appeal Body for a four-year term from December 13, 2016 to December 13, 2020. In her email, Ms. Treksler stated that she could not accept the Panel's nomination and would like her name to be withdrawn from consideration.

### **The Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel must recommend another candidate**

The City Clerk has asked the Local Appeal Body Nominating to reconvene as soon as possible to recommend another candidate to be considered at City Council's meeting of December 13 - 14, 2016, so that the entire slate of 7 members can be appointed at the same time. This will support the City's efforts to maintain its current timeline for implementation of the Toronto Local Appeal Body.

### **The public member will serve a four year term and until a successor is appointed**

The public member will be appointed for a term of office until December 13, 2020, continuing to serve until a successor is appointed. This is consistent with the six other members who were recommended for appointment by the Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel at their meeting held December 2, 2016.

### **Public release of the name of the recommended candidate**

The name of the recommended candidate will be publicly reported once the Local Appeal Body Nominating Panel forwards its recommendation to City Council.

## CONTACT

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## SIGNATURE

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