December 1, 2009

To: Members of Council

From: Councillor Janet Davis

Re: REVISED CC 42.1, Equitable Ice Time Allocation in City-owned Arenas

I wish to place the following revised motions in order to clarify their terminology and intent: to ensure that Arena Board’s of Management develop plans for ice-allocation for the 2010/11 season that are consistent with the City’s Ice Allocation Policy, which provide for equitable distribution of prime time ice for both boys and girls. Changes are in bold.

1. The City Manager request all Arena Boards of Management to provide to Parks Forestry and Recreation staff all information requested on the allocation of ice time immediately, as per Article 8.2.1 of the Relationship Framework;

2. The Arena Boards of Management be directed to develop their proposed 2010/2011 ice time allocations in consultation with the General Manager of Parks, Forestry, and Recreation and in a manner consistent with the City’s Ice Allocation Policy, such that all children and youth activity for both girls and boys receives its proportionate share of prime time ice;

3. delete [The General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation work with the Arena Boards to allocate ice time for to maximize opportunities to participate in their home areas;]

3. The Arena Boards of Management be directed to submit their full ice allocation plan for 2010/2011 to the General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation for approval prior to implementation;

4. The General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation, in cooperation with the City Manager’s Office, report to the Community Development and Recreation Committee in early 2010 on progress to date and any further recommendations to ensure that the Arena Boards’ policies and practices are consistent with the City's Ice Allocation Policy and practices, such a report to include any cost implementations that may need to be considered;

5. The City Manager report to the Executive Committee on any necessary changes to the relationship framework for arena boards to achieve equitable access to ice time in City-owned arenas;

6. The General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation report on the progress for building the second pad at Leaside Gardens; and

7. The General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation review the City Ice Allocation Policy and the Harmonized Permit Allocation Policy and Permit Rates Framework as part of the development of the Recreation Service Plan, with the goal of ensuring equity of access to recreation programs and facilities for all groups, and making improvements to the delivery of hockey programs in the City of Toronto.