

August 20, 2010

To: City Council

From: Board of Health

Subject: Creation of ChemTRAC Toxics Reduction Grants Program through Live Green Toronto
(EX46.64)

Recommendations:

The Board of Health recommends that City Council adopt the following recommendations contained in Executive Committee Item EX46.64 entitled "Creation of ChemTRAC Toxics Reduction Grants Program Through Live Green Toronto":

1. City Council grant authority to the Toronto Environment Office to administer the toxics reduction grants under the Live Green Community Investment Program, on an annual basis beginning in 2010, and to make any necessary adjustments to the Live Green Community Investment Program in order to accommodate the addition of the toxics reduction grants.
2. City Council delegate authority to the Director, Toronto Environment Office, and the Medical Officer of Health, to award funds, totalling \$50,000 in 2010, for the toxics reduction grants under the Live Green Community Investment Program.
3. City Council direct the Medical Officer of Health in collaboration with the Director, Toronto Environment Office, to report annually to the Board of Health on the grants program and any proposed changes deemed necessary.

Background:

The Board of Health on August 20, 2010, considered:

1. a report (July 29, 2010) addressed to the Board of Health and Budget Committee from the Medical Officer of Health and the Director, Toronto Environment Office entitled " Creation of ChemTRAC Toxics Reduction Grants Program through Live Green Toronto"; and
2. a letter (August 9, 2010) from the Board of Health Budget Sub-Committee.

Background Information

HL33.7 - Creation of ChemTRAC Toxic Reduction Grants Program through Live Green Toronto - Staff Report

(<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2010/hl/bgrd/backgroundfile-33011.pdf>)

HL33.7a - Creation of ChemTRAC Toxics Reduction Grants Program through Live Green Toronto - Letter from the Board of Health Budget Sub-Committee

(<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2010/hl/bgrd/backgroundfile-33062.pdf>)

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