



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Council Member appointments to the Executive, Standing and Special Committees and to Agencies and External Bodies

Date:	December 1, 2010
To:	Striking Committee
From:	City Clerk
Wards:	All
Reference Number:	

SUMMARY

City Council appoints Council Members to committees, agencies and external bodies at the start of each term. The City Clerk has canvassed Council Members for their interest in these appointments. This report summarizes the Members' responses and is provided to the Striking Committee so it can consider and recommend appointments to City Council.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The City Clerk recommends that:

1. Striking Committee recommend to Council the names of Council Members to be appointed to the Executive, standing and special committees and agencies and external bodies based on the Interested Members in the attached Lists 1 and 2.
2. City Council appoint Members for a term of office until December 31, 2012 and until successors are appointed, under Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 27, Council Procedures, unless the Lists note otherwise.
3. City Council authorize the City Solicitor to introduce any necessary bills to give effect to Council's appointments.
4. City Council direct the City Clerk to notify Members, committees, agencies and external bodies of the appointments.

Financial Impact

This report has no financial impact.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

City Council appoints Council Members to committees, agencies and external bodies at the start and mid-point of each Council term. Council's procedures set the term of Council Member appointments at half of Council's term (two years) unless a law or the appointment states otherwise.

COMMENTS

The City Clerk has canvassed Council Members for their interest in the appointments. Members' responses have been summarized in the attached lists. List 1 notes Members' preferences for appointment to the Executive Committee, standing committees and special committees. List 2 notes Members' preferences for appointment to Agencies and external bodies.

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ATTACHMENTS

- List 1: Members' preferences for appointment to the Executive Committee, standing committees and special committees
- List 2: Members' preferences for appointment to Agencies and external bodies