Public Notice

Amendments to Chapter 27, City of Toronto Municipal Code, Council Procedures

At its meeting in Committee Room 1, Toronto City Hall, 100 Queen Street West, Toronto, on September 24, 2013, the Executive Committee will consider item EX34.6 Governance and Policy Framework for Toronto's Public Squares which contains a recommendation which may result in amendments to the Toronto Municipal Code, Chapter 27, Council Procedures.

It is proposed that the by-law be adopted at the Council meeting to be held on October 8 and 9, 2013, or at a subsequent meeting.

If approved by City Council, the proposed amendments will provide for an appeal of the denial of a permit by a City official for a permitted activity on a Public Square. The appeal will be considered and decided by the Community Council in which the Public Square is located except for appeals related to Nathan Phillips Square. Permit appeals pertaining to Nathan Phillips Square will continue to be considered by the Toronto and East York Community Council for recommendation and final decision by City Council. Permit appeals for Yonge-Dundas Square will now be considered and decided by the Toronto and East York Community Council rather than considered by the Toronto and East York Community Council for recommendation and final decision by City Council.

Item EX34.6 can be found on the City’s website. For further information, to submit comments or speak to the Executive Committee on September 24, 2013, please contact the Committee at the phone, fax or addresses listed below, no later than 12 noon on Monday September 23, 2013:

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Further Information

If this matter is postponed at the Committee meeting or Council meeting or considered at a subsequent Committee meeting, no additional notice will be provided other than the information on the subsequent Committee or Council agenda.

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This notice is dated September 17, 2013.

Ulli S. Watkiss
City Clerk