City Council

Notice of Motion

MM30.12	ACTION			Ward:All
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Answers for Suburban Campus Neighbours - by Councillor Shelley Carroll, seconded by Councillor Glenn De Baeremaeker

Recommendations

Councillor Shelley Carroll, seconded by Councillor Glenn De Baeremaeker, recommends that:

1. City Council request the City Manager to submit a report to the Planning and Growth Management Committee on any and all Standing Committee processes currently pending on the issue of Rooming Houses, legal and illegal, along with credible timelines on when Councillors may expect to attend and deliberate, and that concerned communities have adequate notice to participate.

Summary

Recent news stories regarding a Rooming House Owner arrest, the investigation into the death of Zimbabwean Student, Nyumwai Caroline Mkurazhizha, have re-ignited the community conversation regarding safe and legal housing for students on suburban campuses. The Talk Radio conversation has started anew and misinformation regarding City action on this matter abounds.

City staff will soon begin the proper policy debate and should be able to initiate such a controversial policy debate in a well-informed atmosphere.

(Submitted to City Council on February 20 and 21, 2013 as MM30.12)

Background Information (City Council)

Member Motion MM30.12

^{*} Notice of this Motion has been given.

^{*} This Motion is subject to referral to the Planning and Growth Management Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.