

City Council**Notice of Motion**

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| MM45.6 | ACTION | | | Ward:All |
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On-line Listings of Registered Speakers (Deputants) - by Councillor Paul Ainslie, seconded by Councillor Sarah Doucette

** Notice of this Motion has been given.*

** This Motion is subject to referral to the Executive Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.*

Recommendations

Councillor Paul Ainslie, seconded by Councillor Sarah Doucette, recommends that:

1. City Council direct the City Clerk to develop an on-line listing within www.toronto.ca/council of registered speakers (deputants), available to the general public to see for all Standing Committee, Executive Committee, and Budget Committee meetings, dealing with individual agenda matters.

Summary

At each of the City of Toronto's Standing Committees, Executive Committee, and the Budget Committee, residents appear on various items listed on the agendas who wish to make a deputation to the duly elected Toronto City Councillors.

As people's daily lives have become much busier with every day commitments, including work and family, it can sometimes be challenging for individuals to exercise their democratic right to appear at a suitable time before their elected representatives.

It would be of great benefit to everyone, including citizens, City Councillors, and City of Toronto Clerk's staff if a more suitable notification process could be created to supplement the current system in notifying residents of an estimated time of when they may need to be at City Hall to make a deputation.

(Submitted to City Council on December 16 and 17, 2013 as MM45.6)

Background Information (City Council)

Member Motion MM45.6