

STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Status Update - Internet Voting Service for Persons with Disabilities for the 2014 Municipal Election

Date:	July 2, 2014
To:	City Council
From:	City Clerk
Wards:	All Wards

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to advise City Council that staff will be submitting a report to provide Council with a status update regarding the Internet Voting Service for persons with disabilities for the 2014 Municipal Election.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

At its February 19-20, 2014 meeting, Council authorized the use of internet and telephone voting as alternative voting methods for persons with disabilities during the advance vote period in the 2014 Municipal Election.

At that meeting, Council authorized the City Clerk to negotiate and execute an agreement with Scytl Canada Inc., being the highest scoring proponent for RFP No. 3405-13-3197, Internet Voting for Persons with Disabilities for the 2014 Municipal Election as per the terms and conditions set out in the RFP and on terms and conditions satisfactory to the City Clerk and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

On March 31, 2014 the City Clerk and Scytl Canada Inc., entered into an agreement for the provision of an accessible and secure voting service for persons with disabilities. The agreement detailed the specific items of goods and services to be provided to the City by the vendor within specified time lines.

The forthcoming report will advise Council on the progress of implementing the Internet Voting Service for the 2014 Election.

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SIGNATURE

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