TORONTO Member Motion

City Council

Motion without Notice

MM48.24	ACTION			Ward:30

Extending the Ice Skating Season on Monarch Park Rink - by Councillor Paula Fletcher, seconded by Councillor John Filion

**** This Motion has been deemed urgent by the Chair.***
**** This Motion is not subject to a vote to waive referral. This Motion has been added to the agenda and is before Council for debate.***

Recommendations

Councillor Paula Fletcher, seconded by Councillor John Filion, recommends that:

1. City Council request the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation to keep the artificial ice rink at Monarch Park in operation up to and including the March Break, weather and budget permitting.

Summary

The Artificial Ice Rink at Monarch Park is a popular neighbourhood hub and home to a growing women's shinny group. With the cold weather poised to continue into March, a number of residents have requested the operation of the rink be extended until the end of March Break.

The City of Toronto has made efforts to re-engage the communities who use our parks and recreation facilities, and to respond to the needs of the community when feasible. In this case, the community is requesting that all efforts be made to extend the skating season in Monarch Park.

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Background Information (City Council)

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