Authorization to Release Section 42 Funds for Improvements to Art Eggleton Park (323 Harbord Street) - by Councillor Mike Layton, seconded by Councillor Raymond Cho

* 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 Mike Layton, seconded by Councillor Raymond Cho, recommends that:

1. City Council increase the approved 2014 Operating Budget for Parks, Forestry and Recreation by $25,000 gross, $0 net, fully funded by Section 42 Cash In Lieu funds obtained in the developments at 211 Montrose ($17,000) (Source Account XR2213-4200545) and 120 Beatrice ($8,000) (Source Account XR2213-4200558) for improvements to Art Eggleton Park.

Summary
This item is urgent as it involves changes to a sports field that are required to be approved before our next scheduled City Council meeting.

Authority is being sought to amend the 2014 Operating Budget for Parks, Forestry and Recreation by $25,000 gross, $0 net, fully funded by Section 42 Alternate Rate Cash In Lieu funds obtained in the development at 211 Montrose ($17,000) (Source Account XR2213-4200545) and 120 Beatrice ($8,000) (Source Account XR2213-4200558), for improvements to Art Eggleton Park.

Through a consultation process with the local Ward Councillor and Parks staff related to improvements in the nearby Bickford Park, a consensus has been reached to move t-ball from Bickford Park into Art Eggleton Park.

This requires the installation of two new back stops and four new benches along with the purchase of a storage bunker for t-ball equipment storage in Art Eggleton Park, with the
following allocation.

- Two new base ball back stops –$18,000
- Four new benches –$2,000
- Storage bunker –$5,000

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**Background Information (City Council)**
Member Motion MM54.28