Member Motion

City Council

Notice of Motion

MM3.26 ACTION

Online Real Time Snow Clearance Mapping - by Councillor Anthony Perruzza, seconded by Councillor Glenn De Baeremaeker

* Notice of this Motion has been given.
* This Motion is subject to referral to the Public Works and Infrastructure Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.

Recommendations
Councillor Anthony Perruzza, seconded by Councillor Glenn De Baeremaeker, recommends that:

1. City Council request the General Manager, Transportation Services, to report to the Public Works and Infrastructure Committee detailing what would be required to map City of Toronto snow removal efforts online.

Summary
Snow removal vehicles are outfitted with GPS units. As a result of this technology, Transportation staff know the exact location of snow removal vehicles in order to keep track of and supervise the contractor's work. The location of snow removal trucks, where they have been and where they are headed, would be very helpful to Toronto residents as they plan their own snow clearing efforts. Mapping snow removal operations online would be a welcome service enhancement for Toronto residents.