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 To: Executive Committee Members
 Re: Advanced Voting Days

As City council has the authority to set advanced voting days before every general municipal election. It would be beneficial to prepare for additional advanced voting days during the 2018 municipal election.

During the 2014 municipal election advanced voting days were set from Tuesday, October 14, 2014 to Sunday, October 19, 2014, 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. with one voting place in each of the City's 44 wards, and City Hall on weekdays where any voter cast a ballot regardless of where they lived in the City. Voter turnout did increase by 4.12%.

The Municipal Election - voter turnout statistics posted on our City of Toronto Website at <http://www.toronto.ca/311/knowledgebase/85/101000040385.html>:

2014 Municipal Election # of eligible electors - 1,813,915 3 who voted - 991,754 or 54.67%	2010 Municipal Election: # of eligible electors - 1,637, 310 # who voted - 827,723 or 50.55%
2006 Municipal Election: # of eligible electors - 1, 521, 121 # who voted - 597,754 or 39.3%	2003 Municipal Election: # of eligible electors - 1,825,139 # who voted = 699,492 or 38.33%

Recommendations:

1. City Council request the City Clerk to prepare for additional advanced voting days during the 2018 municipal election.

Sincerely,

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