Re: LS15.2

City of Toronto Act, 2006 Public Notice

Municipal Licensing and Standards is proposing that the Council of the City of Toronto adopt amendments to Chapter 349, Animals.

At its meeting to be held in Committee Room 1 in Toronto City Hall on November 30, 2016 at 9:30 a.m., or as soon as possible thereafter, Licensing and Standards Committee of Toronto City Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, agent or solicitor, any person who wishes to speak to the matter.

The proposed amendments are subject to the decision of Licensing and Standards Committee and the decision of Toronto City Council. Consequently, the proposed amendments may be modified. Additional or other amendments to the above-noted by-laws, including amendments not contemplated or considered in the proposal by Municipal Licensing and Standards, may occur as a result of the decisions of Licensing and Standards Committee and Toronto City Council.

It is proposed that the by-law be amended at the Council meeting to be held on December 13, 2016 or at a subsequent meeting.

Municipal Licensing and Standards is proposing that the Council of the City of Toronto:

- 1. Approve amendments to Chapter 349, Animals, Article II, Prohibited Animals, 349-4. Exceptions to:
- a. Add Ripley's Aquarium of Canada, located at 288 Bremner Boulevard in Toronto, to the list of exceptions.
- b. Delete the exception for the premises of facilities accredited by the Canadian Association of Zoos and Aquariums (CAZA).
- c. Delete the exception for the areas in the City where education programs are conducted with animals, if the animals are owned by facilities accredited by CAZA or the American Zoo and Aquarium Association and only while the education programs are actually being conducted, provided that such programs are limited to a maximum of three days at any one location.

To view copies of the report outlining and explaining the proposed amendments you may view the Licensing and Standards Committee agenda at:

http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/decisionBodyProfile.do?function=doPrepare&decisionBodyId=1037#Meeting-2016.LS15

current as of November 23, 2016. To obtain copies of the report at no cost, or to submit comments or make a deputation to Licensing and Standards Committee, please contact the following City official no later than 12:00 p.m. on November 29, 2016:

Licensing and Standards Committee City Clerk's Office Toronto City Hall, 100 Queen Street West 10th Floor, West Tower, Toronto, Ontario, M5H 2N2 Telephone: 416-397-4592

Fax: 416-392-1879

Email: lsc@toronto.ca

To ask questions regarding the content of the report, respecting the above items, contact:

Elizabeth Glibbery Manager, Animal Services Municipal Licensing and Standards Toronto City Hall, 100 Queen Street West 16th Floor, West Tower, Toronto, Ontario, M5H 2N2

Telephone: 416-338-1476 Email: eglibber@toronto.ca

Any comments received after the Committee meeting will be processed to Council.

If this matter is deferred at the Committee meeting or Council meeting or considered at a subsequent Committee or Council meeting, no additional notice will be provided other than the information on the subsequent Committee or Council agenda. Please contact the above City officials if you require notice in these cases.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Personal information (written and oral submissions) received by the City of Toronto is collected under the authority of the *City of Toronto Act*, 2006 and will be used to process the proposal, and may become part of a public record. Questions about the collection of this information may be directed to Dela Ting, City Clerk's Office, Toronto City Hall, 100 Queen Street West, 10th Floor, West Tower, Toronto, ON M5H 2N2, Telephone: 416-397-4592, Fax: 416-392-1879, Email: lsc@toronto.ca

This Notice is dated this 23rd day of November, 2016.

Ulli S. Watkiss City Clerk