
City Council

Notice of Motion

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Requesting Permission for Baycrest Health Sciences to Place Sculptures in Nathan Phillips Square Reflecting Pool - by Councillor Josh Colle, seconded by Councillor James Pasternak

** Notice of this Motion has been given.*

** This Motion is subject to referral to the Toronto and East York Community Council. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.*

Recommendations

Councillor Josh Colle, seconded by Councillor James Pasternak, recommends that:

1. City Council grant permission to Baycrest Health Sciences to place up to 10 sculptures in the reflecting pool at Nathan Phillips Square from June 1 to August 31, 2016, excluding July 17 to 22, 2016, contingent on receipt of all the necessary permits associated with the production of the installation being received in due course.
2. City Council require that Baycrest Health Sciences compensate the City of Toronto, through the Facilities Management Division, for all City of Toronto expenses associated with the installation above the standard staffing compliment.

Summary

Baycrest's "Brain Project" is an initiative to place sculptures of brains designed by a diverse group of artists, architects and designers on public display across Toronto. The project aims to be a catalyst for discussion and awareness of brain health. Baycrest would like to place up to 10 of these sculptures in the reflecting pool at Nathan Phillips Square.

Background Information (City Council)

Member Motion MM18.11

The Brain Project Media Release

<http://www.toronto.ca/leqdocs/mm18/2016/mm/bqrd/backgroundfile-92626.pdf>