City of Toronto Act, 2006 Public Notice

Notice is given that the Chief Building Official and Executive Director, Toronto Building, is reporting on a proposal which seeks to amend Chapter 694, Signs, General, of the City of Toronto Municipal Code.

This report proposes amendments to the provisions of Chapter 694 to:

- Establish consolidated and updated regulations applicable to the each of the University Avenue, Dundas Square, and City Hall and Nathan Phillips Square Special Sign Districts, for the purposes of the Special Sign Districts;
- Establish an Entertainment District Special Sign District;
- Re-designate the premises municipally known as 279-283 Yonge Street as part of the Dundas Square Special Sign District, and each of the following premises as an OS-Open Space Sign District: 500 Bay Street; the portion of 1 Dundas Street West known as Trinity Square; 215 King Street West; 225 King Street West; 55 John Street; 200 Wellington Street Wet and 214 Wellington Street West; and,
- Establish a general regulation prohibiting a sign to be located within a visibility zone, and to remove A sign located within a visibility zone from the list of prohibited signs contained in section 694-15 of Chapter 694.

The Chief Building Official and Executive Director, Toronto Building is recommending that the Council of the City of Toronto amend Chapter 694, Signs, General, of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, in the manner proposed above.

At its meeting to be held in Committee Room 1, Toronto City Hall on June 15, 2016, at 9:30 a.m. or as soon as possible thereafter, the Planning and Growth Management 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.

To view or obtain a copy of the report that outlines the proposed amendments, you may view the Planning and Growth Management Committee agenda at <u>http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/agendas.html</u>, as of June 8, 2016. To submit comments or make a presentation to the Planning and Growth Management Committee on June 15, 2016, please contact the Committee no later than 12:00 noon on June 14, 2016:

Planning and Growth Management Committee Toronto City Hall 100 Queen Street West, 10th Floor, West Tower Toronto, ON M5H 2N2 Telephone: 416-397-4579 Fax: 416-392-1879 Email: pgmc@toronto.ca To ask questions regarding the content of the report contact:

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Any comments received after the Committee meeting will be forwarded 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.

The Planning and Growth Management Committee will make its final recommendations on June 15, 2016, which will be forwarded to City Council at its meeting on July 12, 2016.

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Dated at the City of Toronto this 7th day of June, 2016.

Ulli S. Watkiss City Clerk