Supplementary Report #2: Future Curbside Waste Collection Service Delivery East of Yonge Street

Date: January 24, 2017
To: City Council
From: Brian Haley, City Solicitor
Wards: All

SUMMARY

Legal counsel for TCEU, Local 416 - CUPE has asserted, in correspondence to the City Solicitor, that the City should delay any decision in relation to the above-noted Report, pending the outcome of a review of the actions of the Chair. On January 20, 2017, a response was provided to legal counsel for TCEU, Local 416 - CUPE.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no financial impact stemming from this Report for Information.

The Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer has reviewed this report and agrees with the financial impact information.

DECISION HISTORY

At the Public Works & Infrastructure Committee (PWIC) Meeting on January 18, 2017, Committee Chair, Councillor Jaye Robinson tabled the following motion with respect to item PW18.3:

"That the General Manager, Solid Waste Management Services, submit a supplementary report directly to City Council that indicates the number of employees who are employed by the City and who provide the service that is the subject of this report, being the collection of residential waste in District 4."
COMMENTS

Legal counsel for TCEU, Local 416 - CUPE has asserted, in correspondence to the City Solicitor, that the City should delay any decision in relation to the above-noted Report, pending the outcome of a review of the actions of the Chair. The Union asserts that the identification of the number of TCEU, Local 416 - CUPE staff assigned to the collection of residential waste in District 4 may have compromised the process recommended in the above noted Report.

At the meeting of the Public Works and Infrastructure Committee held January 18, 2017, the Committee directed the General Manager, Solid Waste Management Services, to submit a supplementary report directly to City Council identifying this staffing number. The General Manager has submitted a Supplementary Report to Council, providing this information.

On January 20, 2017, a response was provided to legal counsel for TCEU, Local 416 - CUPE. The response is attached.

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SIGNATURE

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1 - Correspondence from Watson Jacobs McCreary dated January 18, 2017
Attachment 2 - Correspondence from the Office of the City Solicitor dated January 20, 2017