

REPORT FOR ACTION

Improvements to Public Notice - Request for Deferral

Date: May 6, 2019To: General Government and Licensing CommitteeFrom: City Manager and City ClerkWards: All

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to respond to the General Government and Licensing Committee's request for information about public notices from its April 23, 2019 meeting. More time is needed to complete a report on the topics raised by the Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The City Manager and City Clerk recommend that:

1. The General Government and Licensing Committee defer consideration of the matters originally requested to its June 24, 2019 meeting.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no financial impact resulting from the adoption of the recommendation in this report.

DECISION HISTORY

At its April 23, 2019 meeting, the General Government and Licensing Committee asked the City Manager and City Clerk to submit a report on a range of matters relating to public notice to its May 21 meeting: http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaltemHistory.do?item=2019.GL4.15

More time is required to complete the requested report

The Committee made its request on April 23, 2019 for a report to the May 21 meeting, leaving only 10 business days to meet the agenda closing for a report on a wide-ranging topic that involves consultation with several City divisions. City officials require more time to prepare a complete report on this matter.

Additionally, since the last meeting of the Committee, the Provincial government has introduced Bill 108, the More Homes, More Choices Act, 2019. The legislation contains amendments to both the Planning Act and Heritage Act and require further analysis for their impact on appeal processes and notice.

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SIGNATURE

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