City Council

Notice of Motion

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Amendment to the 2019 Parks, Forestry and Recreation Capital Budget for Falstaff Park Basketball Court Improvements - by Councillor Frances Nunziata, seconded by Deputy Mayor Denzil Minnan-Wong

* Notice of this Motion has been given.

* This Motion is subject to referral to the Executive Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.

Recommendations

Councillor Frances Nunziata, seconded by Deputy Mayor Denzil Minnan-Wong, recommends that:

1. City Council amend the 2019 Council Approved Parks, Forestry and Recreation Capital Budget to create a new capital sub-project known as Falstaff Park Basketball Court Improvements in the Outdoor Recreation Centre project, with a total project cost and 2019 cash flow of \$80,000, funded by the donation from Maple Leafs Sports and Entertainment.

Summary

Maple Leaf Sports and Entertainment and/or MLSE Foundation is the charitable arm of the Toronto Raptors Basketball Club. In January 2018, the Raptors and OVO had pledged \$1 million over three years to refurbish and refresh local community basketball courts. For each of the next three years, local community courts will be selected for a capital investment dedicated to supporting programs and sports initiatives for at-risk children and youth.

Entering into year two of the initiative, MLSE Foundation committed to completely fund the refurbishment of the Outdoor Basketball Court at Falstaff Community Centre. Authority is requested to amend the Parks, Forestry and Recreation 2019 Capital Budget to create a new sub-project for Falstaff Park in the Outdoor Recreation Centre project, with funding from the donation for the following scope of work: repaving of the north court, refurbishment of the south court, replacement of all existing basketball poles, backboards and rims/nets for both courts, line painting, logo decal application, and pathway and turf restoration. The work is planned to commence in early August 2019.

Background Information (City Council)

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