TRACKING NO.: 2024-252



DELEGATED APPROVAL FORM

DIRECTOR, REAL ESTATE SERVICES MANAGER, REAL ESTATE SERVICES

Approved pursuant to the Delegated Authority contained in Article 2 of City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 213, Real Property Prepared By: Corporate Real Estate Management Joe Corigliano Division: 416-392-1167 Date Prepared: September 24, 2024 Phone No.: To obtain authority to enter into a lease agreement with Bell Media Inc (the "Tenant") for certain premises in the City **Purpose** Hall Press Gallery solely for the purpose of broadcasting. Part of the property municipally known as 100 Queen Street West, Toronto and commonly referred to as City Hall, as **Property** shown cross-hatched in yellow and labelled "Astral Media" on the sketch attached hereto as Appendix "B", comprising approximately 135 sq. ft. (the "Premises"). Actions 1. Authority be granted to enter into the Lease Agreement with the Tenant, substantially on the terms and conditions set in Appendix A, and including such other amended terms and conditions deemed appropriate by the approving authority herein, and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor. **Financial Impact** The Tenant shall pay additional rent which consists of the Tenant's proportionate share of operating costs plus realty taxes, as outlined in Appendix "A". The lease arrangement will be cost neutral for the City, having no budgetary impact. The City will receive a total revenue, as recovered costs, of \$70,715.63 (including HST) over the full 10-year term. All 2024 revenue will be directed to cost center FA1379. Future year revenue will be referred to the City's annual budget process and will be included as part of the 2025 and future year budget submissions for consideration. The Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer has reviewed this DAF and agrees with the financial impact information. At its meeting on October 27, 28, and 30, 2020, City Council adopted Item 2020.GL 16.11, authorizing a new lease with Comments the Tenant for a term of five (5) years with an option to extend for an additional term of five (5) years. The Tenant has occupied the Premises since January 1, 2019 and has communicated to the City its desire to exercise its option to extend for a further five (5) year term. The Tenant continues to occupy the Premises at the date of execution. The proposed rent and other major terms and conditions of the Lease Agreement are considered to be fair, reasonable and reflective of the terms set out in Item 2020.GL 16.11 which was authorized by City Council on October 27, 28, and See Appendix "A" Terms **Property Details** Ward: 10 – Spadina – Fort York Assessment Roll No.: **Approximate Size:** $(135 \text{ ft}^2 \pm)$ Approximate Area: Other Information:

A.	Manager, Real Estate Services has approval authority for:	Director, Real Estate Services has approval authority for:			
1. Acquisitions:	Where total compensation does not exceed \$50,000.	Where total compensation does not exceed \$1 Million.			
2A. Expropriations Where City is Expropriating Authority:	Statutory offers, agreements and settlements where total compensation does not cumulatively exceed \$50,000.	Statutory offers, agreements and settlements where total compensation does not cumulatively exceed \$1 Million.			
2B. Expropriations For Transit- Related Purposes Where City is Property Owner or Has Interest in Property Being	(a) Acceptance of statutory offers, agreements and settlements where total compensation does not cumulatively exceed \$50,000.	(a) Acceptance of statutory offers, agreements and settlements where total compensation does not cumulatively exceed \$1 Million.			
Expropriated:	(b) Request Hearings of Necessity.	(b) Request Hearings of Necessity.			
	(c) Waive Hearings of Necessity.	(c) Waive Hearings of Necessity.			
3. Issuance of RFPs/REOIs:	Delegated to more senior positions.	Issuance of RFPs/REOIs.			
4. Permanent Highway Closures:	Delegated to more senior positions.	Initiate process & authorize GM, Transportation Services to give notice of proposed by-law.			
 Transfer of Operational Management to Divisions, Agencies and Corporations: 	Delegated to more senior positions.	Delegated to more senior positions.			
6. Limiting Distance Agreements:	Where total compensation does not exceed \$50,000.	Where total compensation does not exceed \$1 Million.			
7. Disposals (including Leases of 21 years or more):	Where total compensation does not exceed \$50,000.	Where total compensation does not exceed \$1 Million.			
8. Exchange of land in Green Space System & Parks & Open Space Areas of Official Plan:	Delegated to more senior positions.	Exchange of land in Green Space System and Parks and Open Space Areas of Official Plan.			
9. Leases/Licences (City as Landlord/Licensor):	(a) Where total compensation (including options/renewals) does not exceed \$50,000.	(a) Where total compensation (including options/renewals) does not exceed \$1 Million.			
,	(b) Where compensation is less than market value, for periods not exceeding three (3) months, including licences for environmental assessments and/or testing, etc.	(b) Where compensation is less than market value, for periods not exceeding six (6) months, including licences for environmental assessments and/or testing, etc.			
	Leases pursuant to the Community Space Tenancy Policy delegated to a more senior position.	Leases pursuant to the Community Space Tenancy Policy delegated to a more senior position.			
10. Leases/Licences (City as Tenant/Licensee):	Where total compensation (including options/ renewals) does not exceed \$50,000.	Where total compensation (including options/ renewals) does not exceed \$1 Million.			
11. Easements (City as Grantor):	Where total compensation does not exceed \$50,000.	(a) Where total compensation does not exceed \$1 Million.			
	Delegated to more senior positions.	(b) When closing roads, easements to pre- existing utilities for nominal consideration.			
12. Easements (City as Grantee):	Where total compensation does not exceed \$50,000.	Where total compensation does not exceed \$1 Million.			
13. Revisions to Council Decisions in Real Estate Matters:	Delegated to more senior positions.	Amendment must not be materially inconsistent with original decision (and subject to General Condition (U)).			
14. Miscellaneous:	Delegated to more senior positions.	(a) Approvals, Consents, Notices and Assignments under all Leases/Licences			
		(b) Releases/Discharges			
		(c) Surrenders/Abandonments			
		(d) Enforcements/Terminations (e) Consents/Non-Disturbance Agreements/ Acknowledgements/Estoppel Certificates			
		(f) Objections/Waivers/Cautions			
		(g) Notices of Lease and Sublease (h) Consent to regulatory applications by City, as owner			
		(i) Consent to assignment of Agreement of Purchase/Sale; Direction re Title			
		(j) Documentation relating to Land Titles applications			
		(k) Correcting/Quit Claim Transfer/Deeds			

B. Director, Real Estate Services and Manager, Real Estate Services each has signing authority on behalf of the City for:

- · Documents required to implement matters for which each position also has delegated approval authority.
- Expropriation Applications and Notices following Council approval of expropriation (Managers whose position includes responsibility for implementing Council-approved expropriations are the only Managers with such signing authority).

Director, Real Estate Services also has signing authority on behalf of the City for:

- Agreements of Purchase and Sale and all implementing documentation for purchases, sales and land exchanges not delegated to staff for approval.
- Community Space Tenancy Leases approved by delegated authority by the Deputy City Manager, Corporate Services and any related documents.

Pre-Condition to Approval								
X Complies with General Conditions in Appendix B of City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 213, Real Property								
Consultation with Councillor(s)								
Councillor:	Ausma Malik	Councillor:						
Contact Name:	Ausma Malik	Contact Name:						
Contacted by:	Phone E-Mail Memo X Other	Contacted by:	Phone E-mail Memo Other					
Comments:	No Objection	Comments:						
Consultation with Divisions and/or Agencies								
Division:	Corporate Real Estate Management	Division:	Financial Planning					
Contact Name:	Scott Barrett	Contact Name:	Ciro Tarantino					
Comments:	No Objection	Comments:	Has provided comment					
Legal Services Division Contact								
Contact Name:	Gloria Lee							

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Concurred with by:	Manager, Real Estate Services				
X Recommended by: Approved by:	Manager, Real Estate Services Niall Robertson	October 1, 2024	Signed by Niall Robertson		
X Approved by:	Director, Real Estate Services Scott Barrett	October 2, 2024	Signed by Scott Barrett		

Major Terms and Conditions

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Leased Premises:

Part of the City Hall Press Gallery located at 100 Queen Street West, Toronto, Ontario, comprising approximately 135 sq. ft. as shown cross-hatched in yellow and labelled "Astral Media" in the sketch attached hereto as Appendix "B".

Basic Rent: \$2.00 plus HST for the term

Additional Rent:

<u>Year</u>	oportionate Share of erating Cost	Realty Taxes		Total yearly (HST Inclusive)	
2019	\$ 3,934.38	\$	2,377.61	\$	6,311.99
2020	\$ 4,032.74	\$	2,437.05	\$	6,469.79
2021	\$ 4,133.56	\$	2,497.98	\$	6,631.53
2022	\$ 4,236.89	\$	2,560.43	\$	6,797.32
2023	\$ 4,342.82	\$	2,624.44	\$	6,967.26
2024	\$ 4,451.39	\$	2,690.05	\$	7,141.44
2025	\$ 4,562.67	\$	2,757.30	\$	7,319.97
2026	\$ 4,676.74	\$	2,826.23	\$	7,502.97
2027	\$ 4,793.66	\$	2,896.89	\$	7,690.55
2028	\$ 4,913.50	\$	2,969.31	\$	7,882.81
Total	\$ 44,078.33	\$	26,637.30	\$	70,715.63

The Tenant's proportionate share of the shared office space within the Press Gallery is 4.6% or approximately 40 sq. ft. and the Tenant's proportionate share of the common areas within City Hall is 0.24% or approximately 64 sq. ft.

Term:

The original term was for a period of five (5) years, commencing on January 1, 2019 and expiring on December 31, 2023 with an option to extend for a further five (5) year term. The Tenant has communicated to the City that it intends to exercise the option to extend, extending the term for an additional five (5) years to commence on January 1, 2024 and expire on December 31, 2028.

Insurance:

- (a) "All Risks" insurance in an amount not less than the full replacement cost;
- (b) General liability and property damage insurance with coverage for any one occurrence or claim of not less than two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) or such higher limits as the City may reasonably require; and
- (c) such other form of insurance as the City may require from time to time.

Early Termination:

Both parties have the right to terminate the lease upon providing the other party 60 days' prior writing notice

Appendix "B": Sketch of Premises

