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Dear Colleagues,

As you are aware, I have asked to see the financial budget information for the London Cares Winter Response. I followed the guidance of Civic Administration and in April, I paid the \$5 and filed an MFIPPA request. On July 4/23, I received copies of two contracts with London Cares (one for approximately \$3M for the Winter Response and one for approximately \$64K for a Veterans Program). The \$64K contract included a financial budget yet the \$3M contract did not.

After communicating with Civic Administration, it was explained to me that the timing of the financial information was such that it was not picked up by my MFIPPA request time frame of August 1, 2022 to March 1, 2023. The recommended course of action was to request that this information be provided in closed session at CPSC.

Therefore, I am asking for your support for the following motion.

That the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to bring forward to the next meeting of the Community and Protective Services Committee (CPSC), the following information:

- a) the full, detailed, financial information related to the winter response contract between the Corporation of the City of London and London Cares, including the associated sub-contract information as may be applicable;
- b) the supporting financial information that was available at the time of the contract(s) signing; and,
- the specific information that was received by city staff in relation to the contracts, and the timing of the receipt of this information from the applicable organizations;

it being noted that the provision of some or all of the above-noted information may require to be presented to the CPSC, In Closed Session, in accordance with Section 239 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001.

Sincerely,

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