May 2, 2016

Chair and Members of the Planning and Environment Committee

## Re: Green Roofs

In an effort to encourage innovative landscaping that would not only benefit the environment, but would provide opportunities for intensification in the City, I would like to see a policy/by-law framework developed that would provide for green roofs to be included in the calculation of required landscaping open space.

I respectfully request support of the following recommendation:

"The Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to report back to a future meeting of the Planning and Environment Committee with respect to potential policy/by-law changes that would provide a mechanism by which green roofs could be included in the calculation of required landscape open space."

Respectfully submitted,

T. Park Councillor, Ward 13