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TO:	CHAIR AND MEMBERS – PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
FROM:	J.M. FLEMING MANAGING DIRECTOR PLANNING & CITY PLANNER
SUBJECT:	CANDIDATE APPROVAL FOR THE URBAN DESIGN PEER REVIEW PANEL MEETING ON TUESDAY FEBRUARY 5, 2013

RECOMMENDATION

That, on the recommendation of the Director of Land Use Planning and City Planner, the following candidates **BE APPROVED** for the positions listed below on the Urban Design Peer Review Panel:

- a. John Tassiopoulos – Position of Urban Design Planner
- b. Tom Tillman – Position of Architect
- c. Andrew Wilson – Position of Landscape Architect

BACKGROUND

On November 26, 2012, Planning and Environment Committee approved a revised Terms of Reference for the Urban Design Peer Review Panel. The revised Terms of Reference outlined the makeup of the Panel with the following positions: three (3) Architects and three (3) other professionals that influence the design of the built environment and are registered in their field; these fields include, in order of preference, Landscape Architecture, Urban Design, Planning or other professional fields that influence the design of the built environment. The terms of reference also staggered the terms of Panel appointees to balance the Panel’s representation between a desire for consistency of operation while allowing for fresh perspectives. The Terms of Reference indicates Panel members are to be approved by Council upon the recommendation of administration.

Panel members serve a two (2) year term from the date of their appointment and shall not sit for two consecutive terms. On February 1, 2013 the expiry of these term limits applied to three (3) panellists. At this application cycle, the positions required to be filled are for an architect and two professionals that influence the design of the built environment.

Overall, the candidates noted in this report provide a full complement of expertise in the various disciplines. The overall collective experience of the candidates will assist the City as we move forward and continue to elevate the presence of the Panel within the development approvals process.

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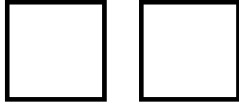
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Attach. Candidate Submissions

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APPENDIX A