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May 26, 2021

J. Parsons Division Manager Transportation and Roadside Operations

I hereby certify that the Municipal Council, at its meeting held on May 25, 2021 resolved:

That, the following actions be taken with respect to the 3rd Report of the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee from its meeting held on April 28, 2021:

a) Municipal Council BE ADVISED that the Trees and Forests Advisory Committee recommends that road narrowing be a priority for the Neighbourhood Street Renewal Program projects, to maximize the space for trees and sidewalks within the right of way;

it being noted that a verbal presentation from D. MacRae, Director, Roads and Transportation, with respect to this matter, was received;

- b) the following actions be taken with respect to the Veteran Tree Incentive Program:
- i) the Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to explore options to target recipients who genuinely need additional financial support in order to maintain their veteran trees;
- ii) the Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to consider and compare, during its review of the above-noted program, its cost-efficiency relative to the canopy cover that is expected to be gained; and,
- iii) the Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to seek to prioritize low canopy neighbourhoods and non-invasive species for the above-noted program, given that funding is limited and not all of the veteran trees can be maintained;

it being noted that the presentation, as appended to the added agenda, from S. Rowland, Urban Forestry Planner, with respect to this matter, was received;

- c) the final 2021 Trees and Forests Advisory Committee Work Plan, BE APPROVED;
- d) the following actions be taken with respect to the communication, as appended to the added agenda, from J. Kogelheide with respect to tree care communications:
- i) the Civic Administration BE REQUESTED to implement the Trees and Forest Advisory Committee's recommendation with respect to the distribution of promotional materials related to tree care practices including:
- A) proper tree mulching;
- B) watering newly planted trees; and,
- C) not travelling with firewood;

it being noted that the above-noted communication, with respect to this matter, was received; and,

e) clauses 1.1, 2.3, 3.1 and 3.2, inclusive, 5.1 and 5.2, inclusive and 5.5 BE RECEIVED, for information. (5.1/8/PEC).

C. Saunders City Clerk /eb

cc: D. MacRae, Director, Roads and Transportation

J-A Spence, Manager, Urban Forestry A. Beaton, Manager, Forestry Operations

S. Rowland, Urban Forestry Planner

Chair and Members, Trees and Forest Advisory Committee