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To: SPPC <sppc@london.ca>

Subject: Motion

Dear SPPC colleagues,

It has been my long-held contention that the more time councillors are able to devote to resolving issues as a group, the faster those issues will be resolved. As London councillors, I suspect that our unique-part-time-role is probably not as effective as the unique-full-time-role of our peer municipalities. Where it should be a straightforward discussion to have, I feel that it is continually obfuscated and procrastinated.

I am looking for support for the following motion:

That the Governance Working Group BE REQUESTED to discuss and report back to the SPPC with their recommendations about council continuing as a unique-part-time-role versus transitioning to a unique-full-time-role.

Sincerely,

Michael van Holst