

NOTICE OF MOTION

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THE CITY OF CALGARY GITY GLERK'S

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RE: WARD OFFICE RESOURCES

COUNCILLOR PINCOTT

WHEREAS, new ward boundaries come into effect with the next election, on October 16th, 2017;

AND WHEREAS, the boundaries are based on relatively equal population distribution, while anticipating growth over the next 10 years;

AND WHEREAS, while the wards are equal in population, they are not equal in the number of communities and community associations;

AND WHEREAS, across the City of Calgary, there are 234 communities and over 150 Community Associations;

AND WHEREAS, the distribution of communities per ward will vary from a low of 10 to a high of 31;

AND WHEREAS, the distribution of community associations per ward will vary from a low of 3 to a high of 24;

AND WHEREAS, the average number of community associations per ward is 11;

AND WHEREAS, ward office resources are distributed equally across the 14 ward offices;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Council request the Coordinating Committee of the Councillor's Office review the model by which resources are allocated to the ward offices in order to reach a more equitable model and distribution and return with recommendations no later that the November 2017 Budget Meeting of Council.

Signature of Member(s) of Council