

Municipal Naming, Sponsorship and Naming Rights Policy Update

2023 June 1



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Previous Council Direction

Council Innovation Fund (CIF) Report Back -Heritage Calgary Naming, Renaming and Commemoration Process Design, EC2022-0574

That the Executive Committee recommend that Council defer reporting back on PFC2021-1342 Reporting on Re-examination of City Asset Names Process, from Q2 2022 to the end of Q2 2023.



Highlights

Proposed Policy Changes

- Introduction of a renaming approach;
- Updated engagement standards on naming files;
- Deregulation of smaller sponsorship transactions;
- Improvement of policy clarity; and
- Removal of technical requirements from the policy.





Status of Work

Completed Work

Ongoing Work

Research

Consultation with subject matter experts (SMEs) and impacted parties

Draft policy developed

Engagement with internal SME(s) and impacted parties on policy draft

Engagement with major external players on policy draft













Indigenous Nations

Civic Partners



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