

## **DEFERRAL - SIMULTANEOUS RELEASE OF FOIP REQUESTS, C2015-0470**

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### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Administration requests to defer the report to Council on the options for releasing all final Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIP) documents publicly, simultaneously with the release to the FOIP Applicant.

### **ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION(S)**

That Council approve Administration's request to defer the report to Council on the options for simultaneous disclosure of FOIP requests to the 2015 September 28 Regular Meeting of Council.

### **PREVIOUS COUNCIL DIRECTION / POLICY**

At the Regular Meeting of Council held 2015 April 27, Council adopted the following motion arising:

"MOTION ARISING, Moved by Councillor Colley-Urquhart, Seconded by Councillor Chabot, that with respect to Report C2015-0350, the Deputy City Clerk/Returning Officer be requested to report back to Council on the options of releasing all final FOIP documents simultaneously and publicly, no later than 2015 July."

### **BACKGROUND**

In discussions with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner (OIPC), it was determined that the Commissioner, Jill Clayton, has expressed an interest in further consultation with The City regarding simultaneous disclosure. The Commissioner has been working with the Province on this issue and will be able to provide valuable input.

### **INVESTIGATION: ALTERNATIVES AND ANALYSIS**

Administration is analyzing the options for simultaneous disclosure, however, further consultation with the OIPC will provide valuable insight on the topic.

### **Stakeholder Engagement, Research and Communication**

N/A

### **Strategic Alignment**

The deferral request will not impact strategic alignment.

### **Social, Environmental, Economic (External)**

There are no social, environmental or external economic impacts associated with this deferral request.

### **Financial Capacity**

#### **Current and Future Operating Budget:**

Current and future operating budgets are not impacted by the deferral request.

#### **Current and Future Capital Budget:**

Current and future capital budgets are not impacted by the deferral request.

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**Risk Assessment**

There are no significant risks associated with the deferral request.

**REASON(S) FOR RECOMMENDATION(S):**

A deferral has been requested to provide additional time to consult with the Alberta Information & Privacy Commissioner, Jill Clayton, for the report to Council.

**ATTACHMENT(S)**