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RE: INCREASING ELECTION DAY ACCESSIBILITY

COUNCILLOR WOOLLEY

WHEREAS the City of Calgary should take every measure possible to encourage participation in the democratic process;

AND WHEREAS election turnout on the municipal level remains a challenge;

AND WHEREAS accessing polling stations is a deterrent to casting a ballot by seniors, young people and those with special needs among other demographics;

AND WHEREAS many Calgarians do not have access to a vehicle on election days;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council direct Administration to waive transit fees on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to assist Calgarians in accessing polling stations.

  
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Signature of Member(s) of Council