

Council Member Motion

For the Committee of the Whole meeting of July 6, 2017

To: Committee of the Whole **Date:** June 22, 2017

From: Councillors Loveday & Thornton-Joe and Mayor Helps

Subject: Off-leash dog park pilot project in Barnard Park

BACKGROUND

The City of Victoria has recently approved pilot projects for off-leash dog parks in Fisherman's Wharf Park and Oaklands Park.

The City of Victoria has also recently received a petition from Vic West residents requesting that an off-leash dog park be created on a pilot basis in Barnard Park in the Vic West Neighbourhood.

RECOMMENDATION

Therefore Be It Resolved that Council directs staff to report back on impacts and advisability of allowing for dogs off-leash on a trial basis in Barnard Park.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Jeremy Loveday

Councillor Thornton-Joe