



**MOTION
GOVERNANCE & PRIORITIES COMMITTEE**

DATE: February 21, 2014
SUBJECT: Leash Optional Areas
FROM: Councillor Charlayne Thornton-Joe

Background:

In 2005 a committee was formed to look at leash optional areas for dogs. Areas were identified for leash optional areas and the heron rookery was dedicated as a no dog area.

Motion:

Whereas, the leash optional area report was done nine years ago; and

Whereas, there have been no updates on how the leash optional areas are going; and

Whereas, with upgrades to parks, leash optional areas may need to be evaluated or considered;

Therefore, Be It Resolved that Council request that staff provide a brief report with updates on how the leash optional areas are going, whether any changes (fencing, hours) need to be made in these areas and whether any other parks can be added as leash optional areas.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charlayne Thornton-Joe".

Councillor Thornton-Joe