



Council Report For the Meeting of April 13, 2017

To: Council **Date:** April 12, 2017
From: C. Coates, City Clerk
Subject: Vehicles for Hire Bylaw, Amendment Bylaw (No. 17) No. 17-038

RECOMMENDATION

That Council consider first, second, and third readings of Bylaw No. 17-038.

BACKGROUND

Attached for Council's initial consideration is a copy of the proposed Bylaw No. 17-038.

The issue came before Council on March 9, 2017 where the following resolution was approved:

Motorized Sightseeing Vehicle Parking Stands – Management Review Update

That Council direct staff to:

1. Amend Schedule D of the *Vehicles for Hire Bylaw* to extend the current Motor Sightseeing Vehicle Parking Stands 1, 2, and 4 allocations to December 31, 2017.
2. Conduct a competitive process for the allocation of Motor Sightseeing Vehicle Parking Stand 3 from April 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017 using the current criteria, subject to the condition that Stand 3 be used exclusively by zero tail pipe emissions vehicles.
3. Obtain bus operating and technical data from Motor Sightseeing Vehicle Parking Stand users and use this data to assess the relative impact of emissions from the buses using the parking stand on air quality.
4. Complete a bus-stand economic assessment to define the value of the parking stands to inform the 2018 management plan and determination of fees.
5. Consult with the key stakeholders using the results from the operational and economic assessment, on the development of the new process for allocating the Motor Vehicle Parking Stands that balances the triple bottom line of social responsibility, environmental stewardship and economic prosperity.
6. Report in October 2017 with recommendations for a new process for allocating the Motor Sightseeing Vehicle Parking Stands.

Respectfully submitted,

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City Clerk

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Deputy City Clerk

Report accepted and recommended by the City Manager: _____

Date: _____ April 12, 2017