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Minute No. 377 Plan Winnipeg – A Sustainable Community Plan
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EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

The Executive Policy Committee recommends that the City of Winnipeg incorporate a sustainable community vision and sustainability targets, which meet the criteria of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities Green Municipal Fund Program, as part of the Plan Winnipeg review.

DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Swandel,

WHEREAS Plan Winnipeg (adopted December, 2001) is City Council's long range policy plan that guides the physical, social, economic, and environmental conditions in the city;

AND WHEREAS The City of Winnipeg Charter requires that a review of Plan Winnipeg be carried out within 5 years of its adoption;

AND WHEREAS there is a growing acknowledgment that city plans and policies need to be to be carried out in a holistic manner to ensure prosperity for future generations;

AND WHEREAS the Federation of Canadian Municipalities, through the Green Municipal Fund program, offers grants of up to $350,000.00 to cover half the eligible costs of developing a sustainable community plan that includes environmental, social and economic objectives and targets;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Winnipeg incorporate a sustainable community vision and sustainability targets, which meet the criteria of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities Green Municipal Fund Program, as part of the Plan Winnipeg review.

Carried