EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE

MOTIONS

Minute No. 227
Moved by Councillor Havixbeck,
Seconded by Councillor Smith,

WHEREAS the most important document City Council passes is the budget;

AND WHEREAS currently there is minimal opportunity for input from Councillors prior to it being tabled;

AND WHEREAS there are numerous better practices elsewhere in Canada that do not segregate Councillors as tier one or tier two Councillors and engage all Councillors on an equal basis;

AND WHEREAS the Charter Act is permissive, not mandatory, in terms of the number of members that can be appointed to Executive Policy Committee;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council direct the Administration to provide a report within 30 days that reviews the current structure of Council as it relates to other Canadian cities and present a model whereby all Winnipeg City Councillors are included in providing input and have an equal opportunity to make their contribution.

Automatic Referral to the Executive Policy Committee in accordance with Rule 16.1 of the Procedure By-law