STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON INFRASTRUCTURE RENEWAL

AND PUBLIC WORKS

MOTIONS

Minute No. 563
Moved by Councillor Gerbasi,
Seconded by Councillor Smith,

WHEREAS with the closure of the grocery store at The Bay, there is a void in large grocery store options for downtown residents;

AND WHEREAS it is crucial that the downtown population has access to basic services in order to maintain and grow the number of people living downtown;

AND WHEREAS many downtown residents do not have access to a motor vehicle;

AND WHEREAS it may take some time before a new large grocery store will be open in the downtown;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT until such time as a large grocery store opens in the downtown, that consideration be given to re-routing the Spirit Bus to a grocery facility near the downtown to provide access to a larger grocery store for downtown residents.

Automatic Referral to the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works in accordance with Rule 16.1 of the Procedure By-law