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Item No. 2 No Technology Allowed Signage

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and adopted the following:

1. That the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to update existing signage to reflect the "no technology allowed in locker rooms" policy as well as provide additional signage at facility entrances and within locker room and change rooms.

2. That facility staff advise arriving patrons of this policy.

3. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Mayes,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On April 23, 2014, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendations of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On April 14, 2014, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the March 26, 2014 Council motion, and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.

COUNCIL DECISION:

On March 26, 2014, Council ruled automatic referral of the following motion to the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services:

Moved by Councillor Sharma,
Seconded by Councillor Mayes,

WHEREAS on July 11, 2005 the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the administrative recommendation that in order to protect the public from the potential misuse of camera, cell phone and/or photographic technologies that may pose a threat to the privacy and security of the individual, the City of Winnipeg implement the following guideline:

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COUNCIL DECISION (continued):

> The use of all photographic devices, including but not limited to, cameras, video cameras, camera cell phones and personal digital assistants (PDA's) are prohibited in all change rooms and locker rooms in City of Winnipeg owned and operated Recreation, Leisure and Community Centre facilities;

AND WHEREAS the 2005 administrative recommendation needs to be reinforced, in order to ensure the City of Winnipeg's commitment relative to the aforementioned;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to update existing signage to reflect the "no technology allowed in locker rooms" policy as well as provide additional signage at facility entrances and within locker room and change rooms;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that facility staff advise arriving patrons of this policy.