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Item No. 2 Tache Promenade Project

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

The Standing Policy Committee on Downtown Development, Heritage and Riverbank Management concurred in the recommendation of the Riel Community Committee that the project referred to as "Tache Promenade" be referred to the 2015 Capital Budget process, in order to seek additional funding from the City of Winnipeg to pursue this outstanding project, and forwarded to the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Gerbasi,

That the recommendation of the Riel Community Committee be concurred in, and forwarded to the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development.

Carried

Councillor Allard, St. Boniface Ward, submitted plans (8 pages) in support of the Tache Promenade Project.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On December 1, 2014, the Riel Community Committee passed the following the motion:

WHEREAS the Tache Promenade Project has been in development for nearly two years, with stakeholders such as the Winnipeg Foundation, Riel Corporation, the Grey Nuns, as well as numerous City of Winnipeg Departments including Planning, Property and Development, Water and Waste, and others;

AND WHEREAS this project has a present estimated cost of $3.6 Million (subject to change);

AND WHEREAS a treetop lookout proposed by the Winnipeg Foundation supported the vision of "Go to the Waterfront", which included extensive consultation with community groups, area residents, and was adopted by Council on January 29th, 2014;

AND WHEREAS the treetop lookout and subsequent Tache Street sidewalk improvements support the upcoming 200th anniversary of the Cathédrale de Saint-Boniface;

AND WHEREAS the Winnipeg Foundation has pledged $1,000,000.00 for the creation of a treetop lookout overlooking the Red River and facing the Museum of Human Rights;

AND WHEREAS the Winnipeg Arts Council has committed $200,000.00 for a guiding light sculpture;

AND WHEREAS this work will help complete the riverbank stabilization work from the Provencher Bridge to the Norwood Bridge;

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

THEREFORE be it resolved that the project referred to as the “Tache Promenade” be referred to the 2015 Capital Budget process, in order to seek additional funding from the City of Winnipeg to pursue this outstanding project,

and forwarded to the Standing Policy Committee on Downtown Development, Heritage and Riverbank Management.



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