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Report – Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, Heritage and Downtown Development – February 7, 2022

Item No. 14 Temporary Patio Program – Realignment of Key Dates

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, Heritage and Downtown Development and adopted the following:

1. That the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to operate the Temporary Patio Program in alignment with the currently established patio seasons (Summer: April 1, 2022 – October 31, 2022; and Winter: November 1, 2022 – March 31, 2023).

2. That the Proper Officers of the City do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Gilroy,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, Heritage and Downtown Development be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On February 16, 2022, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, Heritage and Downtown Development and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On February 7, 2022, the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, Heritage and Downtown Development passed the following motion:

WHEREAS on December 14, 2021 Council approved the Executive Policy Committee - Preliminary 2022 Operating and Capital Budgets – Final Recommendation report, which contained an extension for the Temporary Patio Program, with the Temporary Summer Patio program extended for the period of April 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022; and the Temporary Winter Patio program extended for the period of October 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023;

AND WHEREAS the permit fees associated with the Temporary Summer Patio and Temporary Winter Patio programs were approved to be waived from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023;

AND WHEREAS the approved program dates do not align with the Department's currently established seasons for the Temporary Patio Program, which were strategically intended to align with the operational dates of permanent patio encroachments to provide consistency across service offerings;

AND WHEREAS the currently established Temporary Summer Patio Program is offered for the period of April 1 to October 31, and the Temporary Winter Patio Program is offered for the period of November 1 – March 31;

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Public Service be directed to operate the Temporary Patio Program in alignment with the currently established patio seasons (Summer: April 1, 2022 – October 31, 2022; and Winter: November 1, 2022 – March 31, 2023);

and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.