Minute No. 536
Report – Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works – June 10, 2021

Item No. 2 Food Truck Vendors - Mobile Vendor Permit Rebate

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works and adopted the following:

1. That the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to undertake the following within 60 days:

    A. Provide a 10% rebate to the nine Food Truck Vendors who were issued a mobile vendor permit in 2021, resulting in a total refund of $966.80 + GST for all nine permits.

    B. Issue a rebate equal to 10% of the cost of a mobile vendor permit to Food Truck Vendors who obtain the permit during the 2021 calendar year. 2. That the Propoer Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Allard,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On June 16, 2021, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On June 10, 2021, the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works concurred in the recommendation of the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee, with the following amendment:

- In Recommendatin 1.A., delete the words “five” and replace with “nine”, and delete “$773.20” and replace with “$966.80”

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

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 26, 2021, the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee passed the following motion:

WHEREAS the City of Winnipeg continues to issue mobile vendor permits in the 2021 season, albeit in considerably lesser amounts since 2020, whereby 26 permits were issued in 2019, 13 permits in 2020 and at present only 5 for 2021;

AND WHEREAS the cost for Food Truck Vendors continue to escalate through COVID-19 requirements;

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Standing Policy Committee on Infrastructure Renewal and Public Works be requested to direct the Winnipeg Public Service to undertake the following within 60 days:

1. Provide a 10% rebate to the five Food Truck Vendors who were issued a mobile vendor permit in 2021, resulting in a total refund of $773.20 + GST for all five permits.

2. Issue a rebate equal to 10% of the cost of a mobile vendor permit to Food Truck Vendors who obtain the permit during the 2021 calendar year.