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Council Agenda – March 27, 2025
Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development – Notice of Motion
Item No. 1 Expropriation and Rezoning of Lemay Forest

OURS-Winnipeg fully supports the motion to expropriate Lemay forest and rezone it as Winnipeg parkland.

Paving over a forest, especially when so few remain, would be a grave mistake. Lemay Forest is not just a collection of trees; it is a sacred, natural and heritage space, integral to the city's ecological and cultural identity. Its preservation is essential.

The city is currently facing a critical challenge, with the forest's existence under serious threat. Addressing this will require decisive and bold measures to ensure the forest is protected for future generations.

OURS-Winnipeg stands firm in advocating for the preservation of Winnipeg's remaining natural spaces and believes Lemay Forest must be safeguarded as a lasting legacy.