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Item No. 19 Citizen Member Appointments – Human Rights Committee of Council

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

The Executive Policy Committee recommended to Council:

1. That the following individuals be appointed to the Human Rights Committee of Council for the balance of a 1-year term ending December 2025:

    - Michael Baker
    - Phyllis Reid-Jarvis
    - Ayodele Odeyemi

2. That the following individual be appointed to the Human Rights Committee of Council for the balance of a 2-year term ending December 2026:

    - Reuben Garang

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

DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Browaty,

That Rule 10(3) of The Procedure By-law No. 50/2007 be suspended in order that the following item, which was received less than four business days preceding the committee meeting, be considered by Committee.

Carried

Moved by Councillor Eadie,

WHEREAS the Human Rights Committee of Council did not appoint new members following the 2024 open call for applications to Boards, Committees, and Commissions;

AND WHEREAS the composition of the Human Rights Committee of Council, as outlined in its Terms of Reference, shall include the Mayor or designate as Chair, one City Councillor, and a minimum of eight (8) and a maximum of twelve (12) members, all to be appointed by Council and advertised in accordance with the Council Policy on Citizen Appointments to Boards and Commissions;

AND WHEREAS it is critical to ensure the Human Rights Committee of Council maintains a full and active membership to advance equity, diversity, human rights, accessibility, and inclusion in the City of Winnipeg;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

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