

Agenda – Standing Policy Committee on Community Services – September 8, 2026

Moved by Councillor

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.

ADDENDUM REPORTS

Item No. 7 Online Availability for Athletic Field Bookings

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 4, 2026, the Assiniboia Community Committee recommended to the Standing Policy Committee on Community Services that the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to report back with a method and resources required for the public to view current athletic field bookings online.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 4, 2026, the Assiniboia Community Committee passed the following motion:

WHEREAS as the City grows and densifies, there is increased demand placed on parks and recreation sites, including athletic fields;

AND WHEREAS the only way for the public to determine if an athletic field has been booked for a particular time is to call 311;

AND WHEREAS when a citizen calls 311 to determine if an athletic field has been booked for a particular time, 311 does not have access to the current bookings and must call a Parks Booking Agent;

AND WHEREAS many booking inquiries for athletic fields occur in the evening and on weekends when the Parks Booking Agent is not available;

AND WHEREAS there is no way for the public to view athletic field availability online;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Standing Policy Committee on Community Services be requested to direct the Winnipeg Public Service to report back with a method and resources required for the public to view current athletic field bookings online.