EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE

MOTIONS OF WHICH NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN

Minute No. 278
Moved by Councillor Gerbasi,
Seconded by Councillor Thomas,

WHEREAS it has been made clear by Minister Reg Alcock, President of the Treasury Board, that the Canada Strategic Infrastructure Fund must be used for major projects that qualify and that community club upgrades do not meet the criteria of the program;

AND WHEREAS the Canada Strategic Infrastructure Funds originally earmarked for Rapid Transit in Winnipeg are not yet reallocated;

AND WHEREAS a Rapid Transit Task Force has been put in place to recommend a plan for Rapid Transit in Winnipeg in 2005;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor advise Minister Alcock and Premier Doer that the City requests the remaining dollars in the Canada Strategic Infrastructure Fund be set aside with the intent of using those dollars for Rapid Transit, until the Rapid Transit Task Force report is tabled.

Councillor O'Shaughnessy called for the yeas and nays, which were as follows:

Yea: Councillors Gerbasi and Thomas. 2

Nay: His Worship Mayor Katz, Councillors Eadie, Clement, De Smedt, Magnifico, Pagtakhan, Smith, Steeves, Wyatt, Lazarenko and O'Shaughnessy. 11

and the motion was declared lost.