

Meeting Date: July 10, 2024

Subject: Dispensing of Notice - Section 114 of Procedure
Bylaw No. 18/020 – Councillor K. Ball

Approvals: Jade Brown

Chief Legislative Officer

Henry Hunter

Chief Administrative Officer

Recommendation(s):

WHEREAS Procedure Bylaw No. 18/020 outlines the procedures for a Councillor to make a motion introducing a new matter; and

WHEREAS a Councillor may make a motion introducing a new matter if Council passes a resolution dispensing with notice as outlined in section 114(b); and

WHEREAS Council should only dispense with notice in emergent and/or emergency situations when there is unanimous agreement to do so.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Administration bring forward an amendment to the Procedure Bylaw that adjusts section 114 to include unanimous consent as a requirement to dispense notice.

Summary | Background:

At the meeting held on June 25, 2024, Councillor K. Ball served notice of his intent to bring forward the following for Council's consideration at the July 9, 2024 Council Meeting or at a Special Meeting of Council called by the Chair:

“WHEREAS Procedure Bylaw No. 18/020 outlines the procedures for a Councillor to make a motion introducing a new matter; and

WHEREAS a Councillor may make a motion introducing a new matter if Council passes a resolution dispensing with notice as outlined in section 114(b); and

WHEREAS Council should only dispense with notice in emergent and/or emergency situations when there is unanimous agreement to do so.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Administration bring forward an amendment to the Procedure Bylaw that adjusts section 114 to include unanimous consent as a requirement to dispense notice.”



Rationale for Recommendation(s):

Pursuant to Procedure Bylaw No. 18/020, the motion is now before Council for consideration.

