The Code of Ethical Conduct for Members of City Council Bylaw, 2019

Recommendations

- 1. That City Council consider Bylaw No. 9537, *The Code of Ethical Conduct for Members of City Council Bylaw, 2019*, as amended by the Governance and Priorities Committee.
- 2. That the Code of Conduct for Members of Saskatoon City Council, adopted by City Council on March 12, 2012, be repealed.

Topic and Purpose

This report presents Bylaw No. 9537, *The Code of Ethical Conduct for Members of City Council Bylaw, 2019* (the "Bylaw"), as amended by the Governance and Priorities Committee ("GPC") at its March 18, 2019 meeting, for City Council's consideration and enactment.

Report

The Bylaw was first presented to City Council at its meeting on October 22, 2018. At this meeting, City Council resolved that four items be reported on further by Administration. City Council did not consider the Bylaw on October 22, 2018.

The Governance and Priorities Committee ("GPC") heard the report on the four items at its November 13, 2018 meeting and resolved that Administration report back on two further items. Consideration on the remaining matters and motions was deferred. The report on the two items was heard by GPC at its December 10, 2018 and GPC requested another report on an additional item. The final report to GPC was heard at its March 18, 2019 meeting. GPC considered all the outstanding matters and motions respecting the Bylaw and resolved that several amendments to the Bylaw be made.

The Bylaw, as amended by GPC, is attached to this report as Attachment 1. The Bylaw replaces the existing "Code of Conduct for Members of Saskatoon City Council" (the "Code") and, as such, the existing Code must be repealed.

Attachment

1. Proposed Bylaw No. 9537, *The Code of Ethical Conduct for Members of City Council Bylaw, 2019*, as amended by GPC.

Report Approval

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