2023 Council and Council Committee Meeting Dates – Deferral Request

ISSUE

This report seeks a deferral of the consideration of the 2023 Council and Committee meeting Schedule pending completion of the review of *The Procedures and Committees Bylaw, 2014.*

RECOMMENDATION

That the Governance and Priorities Committee recommend to City Council at its organizational meeting to be held on September 26, 2022, that consideration of the 2023 Council and Council Committee meeting dates be deferred to the October 24, 2022 meeting of the Governance & Priorities Committee.

BACKGROUND

Bylaw No. 9170, *The Procedures and Committees Bylaw, 2014*, provides for an organizational meeting to be held each year as part of City Council's Regular Business meeting in September.

At the organizational meeting, Council shall establish dates, times and places for regularly scheduled meetings of Council and Council Committees. A Council and Council Committee meeting calendar is generated annually for approval by City Council.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS

A review of *The Procedures and Committee Bylaw, 2014* is currently underway. City Council is holding a Strategic Planning session on September 21, 2022, and as part of that session, the Council and Committee meeting calendar will be reviewed.

Rather than considering a proposed calendar ahead of the Strategic Planning session, we are requesting that City Council approve deferring consideration until the October 24, 2022, Governance & Priorities Committee.

OTHER IMPLICATIONS

There are no privacy, legal, social, financial or environmental implications identified.

NEXT STEPS

A proposed 2023 City Council and Committee meeting schedule will be brought forward to the October meetings for approval.

Report Approval

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