

2024 Appointments – International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives – Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI)

ISSUE

City Council annually confirms nominations of appointment of a Council member as a sponsor to the International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives – Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI).

RECOMMENDATION

That the Governance & Priorities Committee recommend to City Council that Councillor Gersher be confirmed as a sponsor to the International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives – Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI) for 2024.

BACKGROUND

City Council, at its Regular Business Meeting held on December 12, 2016, considered a report [Saskatoon Greenhouse Gas Inventory and Update on Compact of Mayors](#) and resolved, in part, that the City of Saskatoon apply for membership in the International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives, including appointing a Sponsor from City Council.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS

The International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives – Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI) is a network of local governments working together to advance and achieve sustainability through the sharing of best practices and access to resources.

Membership is offered to local governments and their national and region associations.

One member of City Council is nominated as a sponsor for a one-year term.

Councillor Gersher has been appointed as Council's sponsor to ICLEI since 2017.

City Council considers council representative appointments for external boards at its November 22, 2023 Regular Business meeting.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications for the appointments and no remuneration is paid.

OTHER IMPLICATIONS

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

NEXT STEPS

The Governance and Priorities Committee will make its recommendations of appointments to City Council at the November 22, 2023 Regular Business Meeting.

Report Approval

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