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Name of the organization or agency you are representing (if applicable): Downtown Saskatoon

Subject: Proposed Decorative Lighting Rate Change

Meeting (if known): SPC on Environment, Utilities & Corporate Services

Comments:

Please see the attached letter and distribute to Councillors on the committee in advance of Monday's meeting.

Thank you,

**Brent** 

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SASKATOON



January 4, 2019

His Worship Mayor Clark and City Councillors City of Saskatoon 222 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue North Saskatoon, SK S7K oJ5

Re: Standing Policy Committee on Environment, Utilities and Corporate Services January 7, 2019, Item 8.2.1-Proposed Decorative Lighting Rate Change, Bylaw 2685

Downtown Saskatoon is pleased to see this report in front of the Standing Policy Committee on Environment, Utilities, and Corporate Services. We requested changes to Bylaw 2685 a few years ago and are supportive of the plan to lengthen the hours in which decorative lighting will be visible and able to be enjoyed by people in our district.

In future, we would like to see more opportunities for lighting installations in our key commercial districts such as Downtown. There are numerous opportunities to improve decorative lighting after seeing what many other communities have been able to achieve. When done correctly, decorative lighting enhances the experience for people in an area and is integral to creating a vibrant nighttime atmosphere.

Sincerely,

Brent Penner Executive Director