

Bylaw 18155 REDLINE (Excerpts)

**HOLDING OF A  
PUBLIC HEARING**

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All public hearings required by an enactment will be held during regularly scheduled or special Council meetings and must allow Councillors and speakers to participate through telephone or video conference.

**PROCEDURES FOR  
STATUTORY PUBLIC  
HEARINGS**

- 53 (1) An item will be discussed at a public hearing required by an enactment as follows:

(a) the Chair may request the City Manager to provide introductory remarks;

~~(b) speakers in favour of the item may present;~~

~~(e) speakers opposed to the item may present;~~

(b) a panel of speakers in favour of the item may present;

(c) a panel of speakers opposed to the item may present;

(c.1) subsequent panels of speakers may present, alternating between in favour and opposed, until all speakers have been heard from;

(d) following each panel of speakers, Councillors may ask questions of any speaker on the panel;

(e) once all speakers have spoken, the City Manager will answer questions from Councillors;

~~(f) Councillors may make motions to amend; and~~

## Attachment 2

- (f) Councillors may make motions to amend, refer, or postpone the item; and
- (g) the Chair will allow an opportunity for any Councillor to ask questions of any speaker in response to information that has arisen during the public hearing.

~~(1.1) Unless otherwise directed by the Chair, speakers in favour of the item will be heard in a panel and speakers opposed to the item will be heard in a panel.~~

### RECEIVE COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS

54 (1) The City Manager may, on behalf of Council, Standing Committee, or a Council Committee, receive correspondence addressed or directed to Council, Standing Committee, or a Council Committee, or its members.

(2) If the correspondence is:

~~(a) in writing;~~

(a) in writing or other recorded form;

(b) legible;

(c) not libelous, irrelevant, offensive, or improper; and

~~(d) signed with the writer's name;~~

(d) signed with or identifies the writer's name;

the City Manager must deliver a copy of the correspondence to all Councillors within a reasonable time.