

Bylaw 15523

Amendment to Contaminated Gas Stations Task Force Bylaw 15363 – Term Extension

Purpose

To amend Bylaw 15363, Contaminated Gas Stations Task Force, by increasing the term of the Task Force by one year.

Readings

Bylaw 15523 is ready for three readings.

If Council wishes to give three readings during a single meeting, then prior to moving third reading, Council must unanimously agree “That Bylaw 15523 be considered for third reading.”

Position of Administration

Administration supports this Bylaw.

Report Summary

In order for the Contaminated Gas Stations Task Force to complete its mandate, it is recommended that the termination date for the Task Force be increased by one year.

Previous Council/Committee Action

At the July 12, 2010, Contaminated Gas Stations Task Force meeting, the following motion was passed:

That Bylaw 15523 be given the appropriate readings.

Report

- The Contaminated Gas Stations Task Force was established under Bylaw 15363, on January 20, 2010.
- Under the establishing bylaw the mandate of the Task Force includes developing and overseeing a plan that

will encourage clean-up of contaminated gas station sites.

- The plan is near completion; however, an extension to the termination date for the Task Force is necessary to allow the Task Force to complete its role of overseeing implementation of the plan.
- Recommended changes to the bylaw are as follows:
 1. Section 11 replace July 31, 2010 with July 31, 2011; will now read as: “A final report on recommendations and actions taken by the Committee will be provided to Council by July 31, 2011.”
 2. Section 12 replace September 1, 2010 with September 1, 2011; will now read as: “The Committee shall terminate upon acceptance of the Committee’s final report by Council, or September 1, 2011, whichever comes first.”
- If this bylaw is approved by Council, the Office of the City Clerk will include monthly meetings in the 2011 Council calendar.

Policy

Supports Environmental Policy C512

Focus Area

Strategic Goal – Preserving and Sustaining Edmonton’s Environment

Attachments

1. Bylaw 15523
2. Bylaw 15363 – Contaminated Gas Stations Task Force Bylaw

Others Reviewing this Report

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