

Tracking Status

- This item was considered by the [Government Management Committee](#) on May 13, 2013 and adopted without amendment. It will be considered by City Council on June 11, 2013.

City Council consideration on June 11, 2013

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Additional Strategies to Support Community-Based Non-Profit Groups to Operate Food Concessions in Parks, Forestry and Recreation Facilities

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Committee Recommendations

The Government Management Committee recommends that:

1. City Council authorize the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation to enter into new agreements for the concessions outlined in this report with any interested community-based non-profit groups, in consultation with the local Councillor, along with the Social Development, Finance and Administration and Employment and Social Services Divisions for a maximum period of five years, provided that the community based non-profit group pays the negotiated market rent and they meet the service level requirements set by the General Manager, and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor;
2. City Council approve the introduction of a \$15 dollar per day fee for concession permits with respect to the concessions outlined in this report that are not operated under any subsequent agreement, and that the City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, "Fees" be amended to add this fee option;
3. City Council authorize the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation, in consultation with the Director, Purchasing and Materials Management Division (PMMD), to issue Request for Proposals (RFPs) to procure licence agreements at all concession locations where it has been determined there are no interested community-based non-profit groups.

Summary

This report responds to the City Council request that the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation, in consultation with the Acting Director, Purchasing and Materials Management, develop a new strategy that will support community-based non-profit groups to operate food concessions in City facilities, and report to the Government Management Committee prior to

the issuance of the next Request for Proposal (RFP) for food concessions in Parks, Forestry and Recreation facilities, such report to identify the financial impact of the options.

If the recommendations put forward in this report are adopted by Council, Parks Forestry and Recreation (PFR), Purchasing and Materials Management Division (PMMD), along with Legal Services staff will work toward implementation.

Background Information (Committee)

(April 19, 2013) Report and Attachment A from the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation, on Additional Strategies to Support Community-Based Non-Profit Groups to Operate Food Concessions in Parks, Forestry and Recreation Facilities
(<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2013/gm/bgrd/backgroundfile-57832.pdf>)

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