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3. Vancouver Pride Parade 2011

MOVER: Councillor Tim Stevenson SECONDER: Councillor Ellen Woodsworth

WHEREAS:

- 1. The Pride Parade is Vancouver's celebration of culture and diversity;
- 2. The Vancouver Pride Society has adopted a three-year (2009-2011) theme of Educate, Liberate, Celebrate focusing on one of the three elements each year. This year the focus will be on Celebrate and what it means to be free to celebrate our individuality;
- 3. The City of Vancouver has had a consolidated presence in the Pride Parade both in 2009 and 2010.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

THAT Council direct the City Manager to organize a steering committee composed of staff members and Councillors Stevenson and Woodsworth for the purpose of planning and implementing a consolidated presence of the various City of Vancouver Service Groups in the 2011 Pride Parade, with funding coming from within the existing City budget.

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