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## MOTION ON NOTICE

1. **Emergency Housing Meeting to Address Olympic Housing Legacy (VanRIMS No. 11-2400-10)**

At the Regular Council meeting on June 26, 2007, Councillor Deal submitted the following motion for the Regular Council meeting, following the Standing Committee on City Services and Budgets meeting on June 28, 2007. The Motion was recognized by the Chair.

MOVER: Councillor Deal

SECONDER: Councillor

WHEREAS the citizens of Vancouver voted in favour of a sustainable, socially inclusive Olympics;

WHEREAS the Vancouver 2010 Bid Corporation and its Member Partners promised to create an affordable housing legacy as part of their commitment to hosting the games;

WHEREAS the Inner-City Inclusive Housing Table Report recommended the construction of 800 units of social housing a year for four years, starting as soon as possible;

WHEREAS Vancouver is on pace to have more people sleeping on the street (3100) than in the Olympic Village (2800) during the 2010 Olympics;

WHEREAS the provincial government has shown a recent willingness to provide funding and support for affordable housing in Vancouver;

WHEREAS many citizens of Vancouver voted in favour of the Olympic referendum based on the Inner City Inclusivity Agreement;

AND WHEREAS the 2010 Olympic Games will not simply be a showcase for Vancouver, but for all of Canada;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT

The City of Vancouver convene an emergency meeting to deal with Olympic housing commitments and homelessness; with

- a) participants to include the provincial and federal governments, VANOC, and housing stakeholders; and
- b) the meeting be held within 60 days.

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