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MOTION ON NOTICE

2. Vancouver's Membership in GVRD Labour Relations Bureau

MOVER: Councillor Geoff Meggs SECONDER: Councillor

WHEREAS the City of Burnaby's decision to withdraw from the GVRD Labour Relations Bureau leaves the City of Vancouver as the last large municipality participating in this organization; and

WHEREAS Vancouver's continued membership in the organization suggests the City will bear a disproportionate cost of maintaining the Bureau in return for questionable benefits;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council ask the City's Human Resources Director to report to Council as soon as practicable on

- the costs and benefits of continued membership in the GVRD Labour Relations Bureau;
- the cost or savings involved in leaving the GVRD Labour Relations Bureau and replacing some of its functions in-house; and
- the steps required for Council to leave the Bureau if Council exercises that option.

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