

## SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION

**3. TEXT AMENDMENT: Backyard Hens Amendment**

**Summary:** To amend the Zoning and Development By-law to designate allowable zones for backyard hens and to add standards for the size and location of hen enclosures on residential uses. This amendment is needed to implement the "Guidelines for Keeping of Backyard Hens" approved by Council at the Planning and Environment Committee of April 8, 2010.

**Applicant:** Director of Planning.

**Recommended Approval:** By the Director of Planning and Chief Licence Inspector:

- A. THAT the application to amend the Zoning and Development By-law regarding keeping of backyard hens, generally in accordance with Appendix A, to the Policy Report, *"Guidelines for Keeping Backyard Hens"*, dated March 24, 2010, be approved.

**(RZ. 723/2010 - Backyard Hens Amendment)**