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MOTION ON NOTICE

1. Independence of Vancouver Park Board

At the Regular Council meeting on Tuesday, September 22, 2009, Council Anton submitted the following Notice of Motion.

MOVER: Councillor Suzanne Anton

SECONDER: Councillor

WHEREAS

1. The elected Vancouver Park Board was formed as one of the first acts of the first Vancouver City Council in 1886;
2. The VPB has been an independent advocate for parks since that time;
3. The General Manager of the VPB is hired by the Park Board independently of the City;
4. The current General Manager of the VPB has declared that she will be retiring in the next few months;
5. The independent ability of the current VPB to select the next General Manager is in question.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

- A. THAT Vancouver City Council hereby affirms the independence of the elected Park Board.
- B. THAT Vancouver City Council hereby confirms that the elected Park Board has unfettered jurisdiction to select the next General Manager.

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