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MOTION ON NOTICE

2. Lac-Mégantic

MOVER: Mayor Gregor Robertson

SECONDER:

WHEREAS

1. The terrible tragedy in Lac-Mégantic is a reminder that all cities must do everything possible to ensure safety measures of its rail corridors;
2. Port Metro Vancouver and the City of Vancouver coordinate on rail traffic through the city of Vancouver, including dangerous cargo.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Mayor write on behalf of City Council to formally express its deepest sympathies to the people of Lac-Mégantic;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT staff be instructed to provide an update to Council on safety protocols in place for the shipment of dangerous goods by rail in Vancouver, and provide any recommendations for enhancing these protocols that would ensure the highest protection for citizens.

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