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MOTION ON NOTICE

1. Protecting Vancouver's Recreational Water Quality

At the Regular Council meeting on April 28, 2015, Councillor Carr submitted the following Notice of Motion.

MOVER: Councillor Carr

SECONDER:

WHEREAS

1. The City of Vancouver, through the Greenest City 2020 Action Plan, Healthy City Strategy and Metro Vancouver Regional Waste Management Plan, has a strong and dedicated commitment to world class recreational water management, including reduction in sewage runoff;
2. Clean and safe recreational waters are important for Vancouver's tourism sector, its global reputation as a healthy green city, and local residents' health and recreational enjoyment;
3. The Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation unanimously passed a motion on April 27, 2015, to work with interested governmental agencies and departments, non-governmental organization and individuals to achieve a goal of zero beach and recreational water closures in the city of Vancouver.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council direct staff to work with the Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation, interested governmental agencies and departments, non-governmental organizations, and individuals to achieve a goal of zero beach and recreational water closures in the city of Vancouver;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT staff initiate its work with a report and recommendations to Council on the scope of work including timelines and possible additional costs related to sewage and stormwater management or other actions needed to achieve the goal of zero beach and recreational water closures in the city of Vancouver.

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