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## MOTION ON NOTICE

At the Regular Council meeting immediately following the Standing Committee on Planning and Environment meeting of March 9, 2006, Council postponed the following Motion on Notice, due to time constraints, to the Regular Council meeting on March 21, 2006.

## 3. City-wide International Women's Day Celebration in 2007

MOVER: Councillor Deal SECONDER: Councillor Stevenson

WHEREAS International Women's Day has been celebrated annually on March 8 since 1909 to recognize women as makers of history and is an occasion marked by women's groups around the world, commemorated at the United Nations, and designated by many countries as a national holiday;

WHEREAS cities in Canada also recognize the important contributions of women to their communities and society as a whole;

WHEREAS the City of Vancouver is a city of celebration that honours the diversity of its citizenry through arts & cultural and recreational activities;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Vancouver City Council request staff to work with city partners including the School Board, Park Board, Library Board and Community Associations to recognize and celebrate women throughout the city on International Women's Day for the year 2007.

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