

3. **Motion – Councillor T. Kavanagh - Tree Dedication**
Motion – Conseillère T. Kavanagh – Arbres hommages

Committee Recommendation(s)

That Council approve the following:

1. **That the Parks Maintenance and Forestry Services, Public Works Department investigate and report back on potential ways to incorporate some personalization for the Personal Dedications Program for in memoriam dedications as part of the Tree Dedication Program.**
2. **This review can include a municipal scan and updated applicant fees to reflect the cost of a plaque or larger tag, the administration of the program, ongoing maintenance, and watering**
3. **That Parks Maintenance and Forestry Services, Public Works Department, present options (including updated applicant fees) for the Personal Dedications Program to the Environment and Climate Change Committee and Ottawa City Council by the end of Q2 of 2026.**

Recommandation(s) du Comité

Que le Conseil approuve ce qui suit :

1. **Que les Services de l'entretien des parcs et des forêts, Direction générale des travaux publics, étudient les moyens possibles de personnaliser les hommages personnels commémoratifs dans le cadre du Programme d'arbres hommages, puis en rendent compte; et**
2. **Que cet examen comprenne au besoin une analyse comparative des municipalités ainsi qu'une mise à jour des frais de demande reflétant le coût d'une plaque ou d'une étiquette plus grande, l'administration du programme, l'entretien et l'arrosage; et**
3. **Que les Services de l'entretien des parcs et des forêts, Direction générale des travaux publics, présentent des options (y compris une**

**mise à jour des frais de demande) pour les hommages personnels au
Comité de l'environnement et du changement climatique et au
Conseil municipal d'Ottawa d'ici la fin du deuxième trimestre de
2026.**

Documentation/Documentation

1. Extract of draft Minutes, Environment and Climate Change Committee, 21 October 2025.

Extrait de l'ébauche du procès-verbal, Comité de l'environnement et du changement climatique, le 21 octobre 2025.

2. Member's Motion, Environment and Climate Change Committee, dated 21 October 2025 (ACS2025-OCC-CCS-0114).

Motion d'un membre, Comité de l'environnement et du changement climatique, daté le 21 octobre 2025 (ACS2025-OCC-CCS-0114).

**Extract of Draft Minutes 20
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File No. ACS2025-OCC-CCS-0114 - City-wide

Following discussion and questions of staff, the Committee carried the report as presented.

Motion

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Environment and Climate Change Committee recommend that Council approve the following:

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Carried