STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, WATER AND WASTE MANAGEMENT

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EXTRACT OF DRAFT STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, WATER AND WASTE MANAGEMENT MINUTES 25 21 JUNE 2022 COMITÉ PERMANENT DE LA PROTECTION DE L'ENVIRONNEMENT, DE L'EAU ET DE LA GESTION DES DÉCHETS RAPPORT 24 LE 6 JUILLET 2022

EXTRAIT DE L'ÉBAUCHE DU PROCÈS-VERBAL 25 DU COMITÉ PERMANENT DE LA PROTECTION DE L'ENVIRONNEMENT, DE L'EAU ET DE LA GESTION DES DÉCHETS LE 21 JUIN 2022

UPDATE ON THE TRANSITION TO PROVINCIAL BLUE BOX INDIVIDUAL PRODUCER RESPONSIBILITY

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City Wide

REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Standing Committee on Environmental Protection, Water and Waste Management recommend that Council:

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- 1. Receive an update on the Provincial Blue Box Program transition to Individual Producer Responsibility (IPR); and
- 2. Delegate authority to the General Manager of the Public Works Department, in consultation with Legal, Finance and Supply Services, to negotiate using the proposed guidelines and execute, in the best interest of the City, the agreement(s) needed for the transition period of the Provincial IPR Blue Box Program (July 1, 2023 – Dec 31, 2025) as described within this report and the accompanying confidential memorandum "Financial Implications for Report ACS2022-PWD-SWS-0002" (memo issued separately).

Chair Moffatt spoke briefly to provide context for the report. During the Consent Agenda, questions were asked pertaining to the department's communications strategy. Ms Andrea Gay-Farley, Program Manager, Program Planning, Public Works Department, was present to respond to questions. At the conclusion of discussions, the report recommendations were put before Committee and were 'CARRIED', as presented.