

MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

Date:

APRIL 3, 2012 - COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Title:

NOTIFICATION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Submitted by: Councillor Marilyn Iafrate

Whereas, on May 14, 2007 Vaughan Council endorsed a recommendation to enact a By-Law delegating authority for legal claims to the City Solicitor, and

Whereas, since this By-Law was enacted a number of claims have come under public scrutiny, and

Whereas, the public expects that at the very least, their elected representatives should be cognizant of how public funds are being spent particularly in legal matters.

It Is therefore recommended that the Commissioner of Legal and Administrative Services be required to review By Law 203-207 and report back to the first Committee of the Whole meeting in May 2012 on steps to be taken for improving notification of legal actions.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Marilyn lafrate Ward 1