

Background

Councillor Cormier has resigned from the Planning Committee effective January 4, 2021.

Additionally, Councillor Sizer has advised that he too wishes to resign from the Planning Committee; however, he will continue to sit on the committee until a replacement has been appointed.

In accordance with By-law 2019-51, regarding Committees of Council and Advisory Panels, the membership of the Planning Committee is “five (5) Members of Council”. At this time, there is a requirement to replace Councillors Cormier and Sizer as their resignation will reduce the number of Councillors on the Planning Committee to three (3) members.

Selection

The selection of these positions is to be conducted in accordance with the City of Greater Sudbury’s Procedure By-law 2019-50. Council’s procedure requires that in the event more candidates are nominated for the required position(s), those position(s) will be chosen by a simultaneous recorded vote. Once the candidates have been selected for the positions, a resolution will be introduced confirming the appointment of the successful candidates.

It is always in order for a Member of Council to nominate themselves and to vote for themselves.

Once the successful candidates have been selected, a recommendation will be introduced.

Resources Cited

City of Greater Sudbury Procedure By-law 2019-50: <https://www.greatersudbury.ca/city-hall/by-laws/>

City of Greater Sudbury Procedure By-law 2019-51: <https://www.greatersudbury.ca/city-hall/by-laws/>