



**PUBLIC MINUTES
CULTURAL DIVERSITY AND
RACE RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

**Monday, September 28, 2015, 12:00 noon
Committee Room A, City Hall**

PRESENT: Ms. C. Laliberte, Chair
Mr. M. San Miguel, Vice-Chair
Ms. S. Clarke
Mr. D. Isbister
Councillor E. Olauson
Mr. T. Salah, via conference call at 12:10 p.m.
Mr. S. Sambasivam
Mr. D. Santosi
Ms. K. Wuttunee
Inspector M. Yuzdepski

ABSENT: Dr. A. Islam
Ms. N. Javed
Mr. C. Sicotte
Dr. J. Swidrovich
Mr. K. Tsang
Ms. T. Wanotch
Chief C. Weighill

ALSO PRESENT: Director of Aboriginal Relations G. Dorval
Director of Community Development L. Lacroix
Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Coordinator B. Kuffner
Deputy City Clerk S. Bryant

1. CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Cornelia Laliberte, Chair, called the meeting to order.

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Moved By: Mr. M. San Miguel

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

CARRIED

3. REPORTS FROM ADMINISTRATION

3.1 Request for Funding - Anti-Racism Forum 2015 [File No. CK 100-10]

Deputy City Clerk Bryant reported that at the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee meeting held on September 10, 2015, a request was made by the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Coordinator for funding in the amount of \$3,000 for the upcoming Anti-Racism Forum scheduled to be held on November 25, 2015. As the meeting did not have quorum, the members present were not able to approve funding and a special meeting was called.

A copy of the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Coordinator's information and budget for the Forum was provided as well as an updated 2015 Statement of Expenditures for the Committee's information.

Ms. Becky Kuffner, Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Coordinator, provided an overview of the planned Forum.

Mr. Toffic Salah entered the meeting via conference call at 12:10 p.m. during consideration of this matter.

Moved By: Councillor E. Olauson

That the request for funding up to the amount of \$3,000 for the Anti-Racism Forum 2015 be approved, to be paid for from the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee's Education and Awareness budget.

CARRIED

4. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Ms. C. Laliberte, Chair

Ms. S. Bryant, Deputy City Clerk