

NOTICE OF MOTION

Regular Meeting of Council 2009 July 27

RE: ACCESS TO CITY DATA AND SERVICES
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WHEREAS Calgary is a well-connected on line community with 92% of Calgarians being Internet users;

AND WHEREAS this community profile leads to high citizen expectations and demand for online service delivery;

AND WHEREAS 89% of Calgarians support The City's efforts to enhance resources, information and services via the Internet;

AND WHEREAS in the 2009-2011 Council Priorities document, Council has made a commitment to increase on- line citizen services;

AND WHEREAS other Canadian municipalities have recently made commitments to provide greater public access to civic data for the benefit of citizens, business, suppliers, community and social organizations;

AND WHEREAS The City of Calgary has had success in implementing open source solutions for our technology infrastructure;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT that Administration prepare a report outlining an overall strategy and to present it to the SPC on Finance and Corporate Services no later than 2009 December and that the report include:

- Identification of opportunities to make more of The City's data open and accessible while respecting privacy and security concerns , and ensuring that data is available through use of open standards, interfaces and formats
- Development of an integrated information lifecycle management policy
- Increased opportunities for on-line citizen participation
- Increased City services on-line

- A policy on the use, procurement and support of open source technologies going forward
- Integration with Webwave and egovernment programs
- An implementation schedule and any associated costs