

NOTICE OF MOTION

March 26, 2018

City Clerk
City Hall
Regina, Saskatchewan

Dear Sir:

Please be advised that I will submit the following NOTICE of MOTION at the meeting of City Council on Monday, March 26 2018:

Re: Solar Panels

WHEREAS the City of Regina ranks approximately third in cities in Canada for average daily sunlight; and

WHEREAS some research suggests that the tipping point of cost for installation Vs long term financial gain may have moved to financial benefit; and

WHEREAS the City of Regina as a large number of buildings - roofs - as part of it's assets; and

WHEREAS the City of Regina also has some larger land holdings;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Administration investigate the potential of installing solar panels on various City of Regina facilities and analyze the cost benefit of removing select city facilities from the power grid to be self-sustaining, and determine if there is a financial benefit in selling the power that would be generated;
2. The Administration investigate the possibility of installing a large number of solar panels on city owned land with the expressed desire to generate revenue for the City of Regina;
3. The Administration also determine if there are partnerships available regarding the installation of solar panels resulting in revenue generation for the City of Regina, with, but not limited to, SaskPower; and

4. The Administration report back to Regina City Council no later than December 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Mike O'Donnell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "M".

Mike O'Donnell
Councillor – Ward 8