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DATE 14 March 2000

TO/DEST. Chair and Members of the
 Planning and Environment Committee

FROM/EXP. Coordinator, Planning and Environment Committee

SUBJECT/OBJET **PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE POLICY**
 NOTICE OF MOTION - 22 FEBRUARY 2000

REPORT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS larger-scale development in suburban and other outlying communities often displaces wildlife; and

WHEREAS it is consistent with the Regional Official Plan's "design with nature" provisions to consider such impacts as part of the development process; and

WHEREAS it is inevitable that construction will occur on lands designated and approved for development, thus requiring some planning for how such construction can be made to be as least-disruptive as possible;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT regional planning staff be directed to consult with stakeholders such as the Ottawa-Carleton Homebuilders Association and the Ottawa-Carleton Wildlife Centre on a protocol to be included in the development/subdivision approval process to minimize needless injury and death of wildlife; and

FURTHER THAT staff report back within 90 days on a proposed policy.

BACKGROUND

At the 22 Feb 2000 Planning and Environment Committee meeting, Councillor Munter moved the above-noted Notice of Motion which appears on the 28 Mar 2000 Committee Agenda for consideration.

Approved by
Dawn Whelan