ITEM 19 (SUPPL.)

MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 62

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Re: Letter from the Burnaby Voter's Association 5670 Gilpin Street, Burnaby Election Signs

Following is a report from the Director of Planning regarding a request for permission to erect political signs in connection with the municipal election next month.

The agenda advises that a report on the subject correspondence would be submitted on October 12th. The matter is being submitted this evening as a supplementary item, however, because it is felt that by-law requirements relative to the erection of signs should be conveyed to all interested persons as soon as possible.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the Director of Planning's recommendations be adopted.

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Planning Department October 4, 1976

TO:

MUNICIPAL MANAGER

FROM:

DIRECTOR OF PLANNING

RE:

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO ERECT ELECTION SIGNS

In a letter of September 28, 1976, addressed to the Municipal Clerk, Mary J. Knight, President of the Burnaby Voters Association, has requested permission to erect signs on Municipal property in the forthcoming Municipal elections.

The Burnaby Sign By-law includes provision for election signs under Clause (9) of Schedule No. 1, which reads as follows: "Temporary signs pertaining to campaigns, drives or events of political, civic, philanthropic, educational or religious organizations, provided that the permission of the Council must be obtained to erect such signs upon or over public property and provided further that such signs shall be removed within 3 days after the event.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended:

(1) THAT the Council approve the erection of political signs on Municipal property by all the participants in the forthcoming Municipal elections, subject to the meeting of the provision of Clause (9), Schedule No. 1 of the Burnaby Sign-By-law (as quoted above).

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(2) THAT a copy of this report be sent to the presidents of each of the participating political associations, including independent election participants, in the Municipality.

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