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**COMMUNICATIONS
GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE**

TORONTO PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD MEETING – January 19, 2015

It is recommended that the Toronto Public Library Board:

1. receives Communication (a) representative of approximately 4,500 emails received to Mayor John Tory, copying the Toronto Public Library Board regarding the Toronto Public Library Board 2015 budget between December 14, 2014 and January 8, 2015;
2. receives Communications (b) from 127 individuals to Mayor John Tory, copied to the Toronto Public Library Board with individualized messages regarding the Toronto Public Library 2015 budget between December 14 and December 29, 2014;
3. receives Communication (c) from Michael Foderick, Chair, Toronto Public Library Board, dated December 18, 2014 sent electronically in response to the generic and individualized messages [see Communications (a) and (b) above] regarding the Toronto Public Library 2015 budget;
4. receives Communications (d) from 58 individuals to Michael Foderick, in response to his December 18, 2014 [see Communication (c) above] communication regarding the Toronto Public Library 2015 budget between December 18, 2014 and January 5, 2015;
5. receives Communication (e) – Lobbying Disclosure Form as provided for in the Board’s Lobbying Disclosure for Board Members Policy from Michael Foderick, Chair, Toronto Public Library Board dated December 15, 2014 regarding legal referral knowledge for librarians and setting up displays at TPL branches;
6. receives Communication (f) – Lobbying Disclosure Form as provided for in the Board’s Lobbying Disclosure for Board Members Policy from Michael Foderick, Chair, Toronto Public Library Board dated December 18, 2014 regarding a potential Library partnership;
7. receives Communication (g) – Response to Toronto Star editorial from Michael Foderick, Chair, Toronto Public Library Board dated December 23, 2014;

8. receives Communication (h) from Harry Thurston, Chair, The Writers' Union of Canada to Michael Foderick, Chair, Toronto Public Library Board dated January 8, 2015 regarding the Library's program for the purchase of second-hand copies of books;
9. receives Communication (i) from Vickery Bowles, City Librarian to Matt Williams, VP, Publishing Operations, House of Anansi Press Inc dated January 13, 2015 in response to his letter of December 12, 2014 provided to the Board at the December 15, 2014 meeting; and
10. receives Communication (j) from Vickery Bowles, City Librarian to Harry Thurston, Chair, The Writers' Union of Canada dated January 13, 2015 in response to his letter of January 8, 2015 [see Communication (h) above].