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Notice of Motion

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To: Toronto Public Library Board

Notice of Motion: **Toronto Public Library Datasets on City of Toronto Open Data Portal**

Moved by: Councillor Paul Ainslie
Seconded by: Councillor Sarah Doucette

Background:

The Toronto Public Library has one of the largest per capita users and is a leader in public data.

With the increasing use of mobile applications, datasets have become important to foster information useful to library users. Placing datasets on the City of Toronto Open Data Portal on a regular basis will contribute to the needs of the residents of Toronto.

Updating the datasets will enhance the library experience and increase the use of the Library's resources.

Recommendation:

1. Toronto Public Library staff be requested to explore placing datasets on the City of Toronto Open Data Portal on a regular basis.