

**CITY OF HAMILTON
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General Issues Committee Date: August 10, 2015

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR J. FARR.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR

Ownership of the Strip of land between Patrick Street and Walnut Street, Hamilton

WHEREAS, the strip of land between Patrick Street and Walnut Street, identified on the maps attached hereto, has been used for access to Patrick Street and has been improved and maintained by the City of Hamilton for many decades; and,

WHEREAS, Extensive searches have located no heir or beneficiary of the registered owner, whose last dealing with this strip of land was in 1882; and,

WHEREAS, there have been no taxes paid on the subject land; and,

WHEREAS, the City requires this property to maintain access to Patrick Street and to complete water/sewer improvements to the existing infrastructure;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That Legal staff be directed to initiate proceedings to have the strip of land between Patrick Street and Walnut Street, identified on the maps attached hereto, vested to the City of Hamilton.