

**Form: Request to Speak to Committee of Council**

Submitted on Tuesday, May 1, 2018 - 9:36 am

==Committee Requested==

**Committee:** Audit, Finance & Administration

==Requestor Information==

**Name of Individual:** Shekar Chandrashekar

**Name of Organization:**

**Contact Number:**

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**Reason(s) for delegation request:**

The A&A Committee received information report FCS 18030, Item 5.3, on March 26, 2018.

I have made repeated requests over 3 years to express my concerns on this and other topics. I requested an opportunity to express my concerns, item by item, of the information contained in FCS 18030. It is my position that inaccurate information has been provided to the A&A Committee and to the public at large in FCS 18030. My delegation request was denied without providing any basis.

As a private concerned citizen, I am appealing to the A&A Committee again to provide me with an opportunity to rebut information contained in FCS 18030. I will provide supporting documents plus legal opinions.

The denial of an opportunity to private citizens puts into question the long standing close relationship between some council members and staff. It is my position that there is no budget crisis. There is overspending and over staffing. Yet there is the recent outcry that local climate change plans are starved for cash.

With that Madam Chair, as a concerned private citizen, I sincerely appeal to you provide me with an opportunity to present my concerns so that the public may have another perspective.

**Will you be requesting funds from the City? No**

**Will you be submitting a formal presentation? Yes**