

Form: Request to Speak to Committee of Council

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==Committee Requested==

Committee: General Issues Committee

==Requestor Information==

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Reason(s) for delegation request:

Update GIC on the 2018 Tesla Electric Festival (TECF) held at Hamilton Steam and Technology Museum.

Update on future plans for TECF - Annual event & a request of Council for the use of the Hamilton Steam and Technology Museum for future festivals.

Attended Tesla conference in New Your City, where we learned about the The International Association of Horticultural Producers Expo 2025. This will be an international expo that includes Buffalo, Niagara Falls NY, Fort Erie, Niagara Falls, ON and Toronto. Each of those municipalities have been notified as

has the Federal Government Canada and both Canada & USA First Nations. We followed up and have been successful in including Hamilton. The organizer is very excited about including Hamilton into the Expo. We need to inform GIC and connect the City to start working on this initiative, that will benefit the city and tourism. One of the key elements of this fair will be the Linkage to Innovation and will celebrate 1901 Expo held in Buffalo. Hamilton has specific and unique linkage to the 1901 Expo.

Will you be requesting funds from the City? No

Will you be submitting a formal presentation? Yes