

Adopted by Council at its meeting held June 4, 2013 [M231-2013]

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Windsor, Ontario, June 4, 2013

**REPORT NO. 163 of the
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT,
HEALTH & CULTURE STANDING COMMITTEE**
of its meeting held May 8, 2013

Present: Councillor Ed Sleiman, Chair
Councillor Jo-Anne Gignac
Councillor Alan Halberstadt
Councillor Fulvio Valentinis

Absent: Councillor Percy Hatfield

That the following recommendation of the Social Development, Health and Culture Standing Committee **BE APPROVED** as follows:

Moved by Councillor Gignac, seconded by Councillor Valentinis, **THAT** the report from the Manager of Cultural Affairs on the removal and re-location of two Murals on 167 Ferry Street, Windsor, **BE RECEIVED**; and further

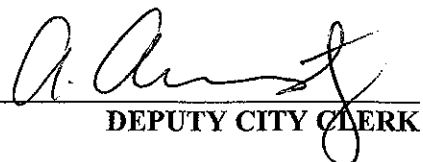
THAT AUTHORIZATION be given to amend the existing agreement between the Corporation of the City of Windsor and Can-West Media Corporation signed on 26th day of January 2005 to reflect the new corporate name of Postmedia Network Inc at the following address: 300 Ouellette Avenue, Windsor and further that the CAO and City Clerk **BE AUTHORIZED** to sign the amended agreement, satisfactory in form to the City Solicitor, and in content to the Executive Director of Recreation and Culture.

Carried.

Clerk's Note: The administrative report authored by the Manager of Cultural Affairs dated April 15, 2013 entitled "*Removal and re-location of Two (2) Murals on 167 Ferry Street, Windsor*" is attached as background information.

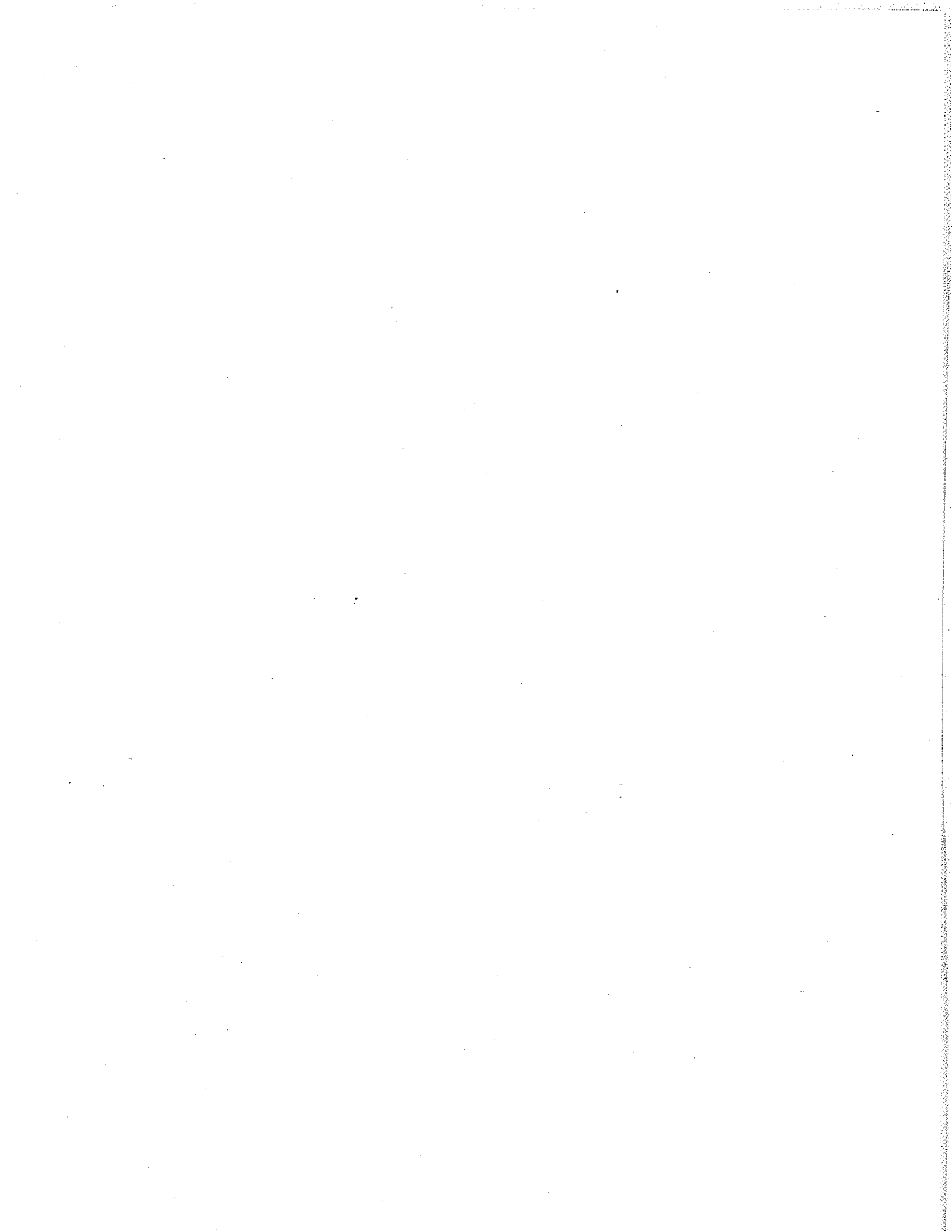
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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF WINDSOR
Social Development, Health and Culture Standing Committee-
Administrative Report

**MISSION STATEMENT:**

"The City of Windsor, with the involvement of its citizens, will deliver effective and responsive municipal services, and will mobilize innovative community partnerships"

LiveLink REPORT #: 16464 GFG/6921	Report Date: April 15, 2013
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To: Social Development, Health and Culture Standing Committee

Subject: Removal and re-location of Two (2) Murals on 167 Ferry Street, Windsor

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1. RECOMMENDATION: City Wide: _____ Ward(s): 3

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

N/A

2. BACKGROUND:

In 2005 the Corporation of the City of Windsor in partnership with Human Resources Services Canada through a Job Creation program developed the Postcards from Home mural project.

As part of the project, two large murals were installed on the south facing side of 167 Ferry Street, a building owned and operated by Can-West Media Holdings (known locally as the Windsor Star Building).

This building has recently been sold and is being adaptively re-used as the University of Windsor's School of Social Work.

3. DISCUSSION:

The two murals installed on the building specifically relate to the newspaper industry. The murals do not fit in with the new use of the property, and the University has requested the murals be removed to allow for the retrofit of the building. Both murals will be removed in April 2013 to ensure they are undamaged during the construction work being completed. Clause 11 of the original agreement provides the City with the right to remove the mural from public display.

The Windsor Star has requested that the smaller of the two murals be re-installed on their new building located at 300 Ouellette Avenue, Windsor. Unfortunately, they do not have the wall space at the new facility to accommodate the larger mural which is approximately 42 feet tall and 30 feet wide.

The larger mural will be safely stored until a future display location has been determined.

4. RISK ANALYSIS:

N/A

5. FINANCIAL MATTERS:

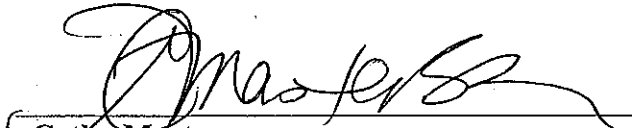
The murals will be removed through the approved Facilities operating budget at a total cost of approximately \$1200. This costing includes two staff for one day to remove the murals and a lift truck will be rented to complete the project safely.


6. CONSULTATIONS:

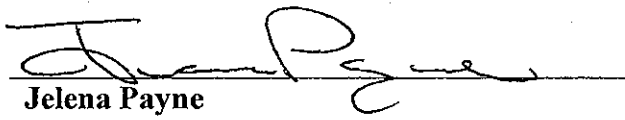
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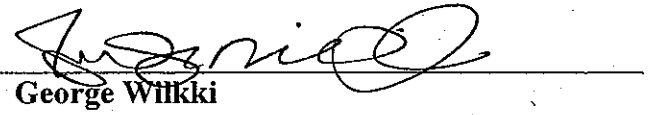
7. CONCLUSION:

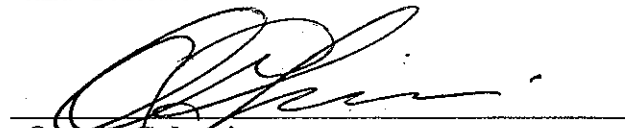
The murals are a welcome visual addition to the downtown area. They promote an approach to community building and economic development that attracts residents, visitors and investment by assisting our community to create a positive image and identity. The mural project has played a role in making Windsor an affordable and attractive place to live.

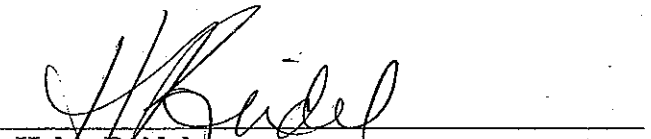

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