

# Recommendation of the Special City Finance and Governance Committee – 2 December 2025

Strategic Alignment – Our Corporation

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**Tuesday, 9 December 2025**  
**Council**

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The City Finance and Governance Committee considered the following Item at its Special meeting held on 2 December 2025 and resolved to present to Council the following recommendation for Council determination:

- Item 6.1 – Council Member Training and Development Plan

## RECOMMENDATION

### 1. **Recommendation 1 – Item 6.1 - Council Member Training and Development Plan**

#### THAT COUNCIL:

1. Adopts the Council Member Training Plan as contained in Attachment A to Item 6.1 on the Agenda for the Special meeting of the City Finance and Governance Committee held on 2 December 2025.
2. Adopts the updated Council Member Training and Development Policy as contained in Attachment B to Item 6.1 on the Agenda for the Special meeting of the City Finance and Governance Committee held on 2 December 2025.

## DISCUSSION

1. The City Finance and Governance Committee met at a Special meeting of the Committee on Tuesday 2 December 2025. The Agenda with public reports for the meeting can be viewed [here](#).
2. Where the resolution of the Committee differs from the recommendation published in the Committee agenda, the Committee's recommendation to the Council is listed first, with the original recommendation provided in grey and italics.
3. The following matter was the subject of deliberation:
  - 3.1. Item 6.1 – Council Member Training and Development Plan

**THAT THE CITY FINANCE AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO COUNCIL**

**THAT COUNCIL:**

1. Adopts the Council Member Training Plan as contained in Attachment A to Item 6.1 on the Agenda for the Special meeting of the City Finance and Governance Committee held on 2 December 2025.
2. Adopts the updated Council Member Training and Development Policy as contained in Attachment B to Item 6.1 on the Agenda for the Special meeting of the City Finance and Governance Committee held on 2 December 2025.

For ease, Attachments A & B relating to Recommendation 1, Item 6.1, have been included at the end of this recommendation report.

4. The Committee also received a workshop on Building the 2026/27 BP&B - Process, Priorities, Objectives and Involvement.

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## DATA AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION

**Link 1** – City Finance and Governance Committee Agenda

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## ATTACHMENTS

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