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THE CITY OF CALGARY
CITY CLERK'S

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**MOTION TO ALLOW FOR THE DISCRETIONARY USE OF 'CHILD CARE SERVICES'
IN CITY OF CALGARY OWNED BUILDINGS**

COUNCILLOR GIAN-CARLO CARRA AND COUNCILLOR BRIAN PINCOTT

WHEREAS child care services are vital to developing a city of inspiring neighbourhoods;

AND WHEREAS the City of Calgary does not have enough accessible and affordable child care spaces to accommodate the needs of its citizens;

AND WHEREAS access to affordable child care services can have positive economic effects on families, particularly single-family and low-income households;

AND WHEREAS access to affordable child care services can have significant impacts on children's early development;

AND WHEREAS municipalities have an important role to play in promoting the development of child care services through the land use bylaw;

AND WHEREAS the Lumino building at 5717 2 Street SW has undeveloped units that were intended to be leased to child care service providers;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council direct Administration to bring forward a replacement Direct Control District to Bylaw #28Z2003 to include 'Child Care Services' as a Discretionary Use;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that Administration prepare a report summarizing the potential to allow for all future City of Calgary buildings to include spaces that allow for 'Child Care Services' and the feasibility of allowing current City of Calgary buildings to incorporate 'Child Care Services' under Discretionary Use.

Signature of Member(s) of Council