

### Request for Halifax and West Community Council Consideration

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**Date of Meeting:** September 15, 2015

**Subject:** Regulation of rooming and lodging houses

#### **Motion for the Halifax and West Community Council to Consider:**

Direct that staff prepare a report reviewing the regulation of rooming and lodging houses in the *Land Use By-law for Halifax Peninsula* and, if the result of the review identifies areas where the language could be strengthened, then draft amendments to the land use by-law for Community Council consideration.

#### **Reason:**

There may be an opportunity to clarify the definition of rooming house in the existing bylaw in order to deal more effectively with rooming house issues on the peninsula in R2 zones.

#### **Outcome Sought:**

A staff report to address the matter.

*Councillor Jennifer Watts*

*District 8*