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Item No. 14.6.1

Request for Council's Consideration		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Included on Agenda (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Thursday)	<input type="checkbox"/> Added Item (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Monday)	<input type="checkbox"/> Request from the Floor
Date of Council Meeting: May 8, 2018		
Subject: Licensing Option For Dogs Under the Age of 6 Months		
Motion for Council to Consider: That Halifax Regional Council request a staff report with respect to creating a licensing option for dogs under the age of 6 months.		
Reason: Currently under Administrative Order Number Eleven Respecting The Animal By-Law a dog has to be spayed/neutered to receive the discounted fee. However, a puppy cannot be spayed/neutered until at least 6 months old. The result being that owners of puppies therefore cannot qualify for the discounted rate that is designed to help promote an increase in the number of licensed dogs in HRM.		
Outcome Sought: Staff report with respect to creating a licensing option for dogs under the age of 6 months.		
<i>Councillor Outhit</i>	<i>District 16</i>	