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## Item No.

Request for Standing Committee Consideration				
☐ Agenda Item (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon at least 5 working days prior to the meeting)		to Municipal ce by Noon at		Request from the Floor
Date of Meeting: September 15, 2016				
Subject: Kindness Meters				
Motion for Standing Committee to consider:				
That the Standing Committee on Community Planning and Economic Development request a staff report to:				
<ol> <li>Working with the Mayor's Office, United Way Halifax, service providers and urban Business Improvement Districts, evaluate a proposal to dedicate revenue from select parking meters (i.e. "kindness meters") to a United Way fund targeting street involved people.</li> </ol>				
Reason:				
Many partners are working to meet the needs of street involved people. The proposal to establish kindness meters arose out of a meeting with community stakeholders, including service providers, Business Improvement Districts and the United Way. The municipality has an established relationship with the United Way, and this initiative would build on that partnership.				
Outcome Sought:				
A mechanism to direct revenue from select parking meters to a United Way fund targeting street involved people. The report should include possible implementation issues and financial challenges.				
Councillor Waye Mason		District 7		