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## Item No. 12.2.1

Request for Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee Consideration		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Agenda Item</b> (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon at least 5 working days prior to the meeting)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Added Item</b> (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon at least one day prior to meeting)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Request from the Floor</b>
<b>Date of Meeting:</b> Thursday February 7 <sup>th</sup> 2019		
<b>Subject:</b> Pet Waste Recycling		
<b>Motion for Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee to Consider:</b>		
That the Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee request a staff report on options for disposal of pet waste.		
<b>Reason:</b>		
To divert pet waste from the landfill system.		
In Waterloo, Ontario they are piloting a program that turns dog waste into energy using anaerobic digestion. The program provides special dog waste bins in recreational areas, when the waste is collected it will be combined with other organic waste and used to create a biogas which can then be burned for heat or energy and used for fertilizer. Other municipalities such as Vancouver and Coquitlam also have special pet waste recycling systems.		
<b>Outcome Sought:</b>		
Alternatives for disposal of dog waste.		
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