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NOTICE OF MOTION
CC 661 (R2009-05)

RE: SENIOR SINGLE FARE FOR TRANSIT USERS

ALDERMAN PETER DEMONG

WHEREAS The City of Calgary does not currently offer seniors a single fare for transit service.

AND WHEREAS the current annual transit pass for seniors has had a market increase in two years from \$35 to \$95.

AND WHEREAS this cost is prohibitive for those seniors who want or need to use transit service a limited number of times annually, thereby not benefitting from the purchase of a full annual pass.

AND WHEREAS Calgary has a large number of senior visitors to our city annually who would not benefit from the purchase of an annual transit pass.

AND WHEREAS most major cities in Canada offer a seniors single fare transit pass.

AND WHEREAS there is an existing single fare pass for youth/students.

AND WHEREAS a number of the major cities offer a combine youth/seniors pass.

NOW THERE BE IT RESOLVED that Administration adapt the existing youth single fare pass to be used for both seniors and youths.

Signature of Member(s) of Council