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Item No. 13.1

Request for Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee Consideration			
(Submitted to Municipal (Clerk's Office by Noon at least 5 working days prior	Added Item Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon at east one day prior to neeting)		Request from the Floor
Date of Meeting: November 2, 2017			
Subject: Electric Vehicle Charging Stations			
Motion for Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee to Consider:			
THAT the Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee request a Staff Report identifying the number and location of electric vehicle (EV) charging stations currently within the Municipality and provide recommendations with regards to developing an initiative to increase the number of EV charging stations in the Municipality, including, but not limited to suggestions regarding planning policies, fleet, and infrastructure.			
Reason: Electric Vehicles provide a clean and affordable transportation alternative to fossil fuel engines. While the draft Centre Plan includes policy enabling EV charging stations, it may be beneficial at this time to take stock of the existing EV charging opportunities and develop a clear initiative to further the proliferation of EV charging infrastructure within Halifax Regional Municipality.			
Outcome Sought: A staff recommendation report that provides suggestions for how to further develop EV charging infrastructure within Halifax Regional Municipality in addition to outlining the number and location of existing EV charging infrastructure with the Municipality.			
Councillor Bill Karsten	District 3		