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WHEREAS at the Committee of the Whole on September 3, 2019, Council considered a Memo and supporting Report from the Secretary of the Christmas Magic Ad Hoc Committee, regarding the location of the 2019 Christmas Magic Display of Lights;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council endorse the comments of the Christmas Magic Ad Hoc Committee and adopt the following recommendations for the 2019 Christmas Magic Display of Lights:

1. Maintain Christmas Lights in Rotary Harbourfront Park. The lights should be illuminated on the third Friday of November and remain lit around the outdoor rink until late February.
2. Remove the Christmas Magic Lights from the Esplanade and relocate them to Victoria Park. Install additional lights and decorations in a manner suitable to the size of the space in the Park, within budget. While it may be appropriate to remove Christmas decorations in the first week of January, we recommend that some lighting be maintained after January 7 so that the Park has some lighting through to late February.
3. Continue to put out an annual call for volunteers to assist staff as required in implementing and expanding Christmas Magic. Community engagement and involvement in lighting up Victoria Park should be encouraged.