Request to Speak to a Committee of Council

If your request is for a specific committee meeting, this form must be received by NOON the day before the scheduled committee meeting. Requests for Monday meetings must be received the Friday before the meeting. Requests for meetings scheduled for the day after a statutory holiday must be received the last business day before the meeting.

Standing Committee Requested

Kindly indicate which Standing Committee:*  
Emergency & Community Services

Requestor Information

Name of Individual:*  
Michelle Hruschka

Name of Organization:  
Campaign for Adequate Welfare and Disability Benefits

Do you or your organization represent a lobbyist (voluntary)  
Ø Yes  
Ø No

Contact Number:*  

Email Address:*  

Mailing Address:*  

Reason(s) for delegation request:*  
The Emergency Food Planning Committee will be speaking in front of this committee on Nov 18, 2009 as per Brian Kreps. We would like the opportunity to offer a rebuttal, as the members of the Food Security Issues Committee of the Campaign have concerns about the issues that will be brought forward. The food planning committee did not have anyone from low income as representation to speak for those that struggle. We have concerns that there is no future plan in place to move our community away from a food bank system, that is failing many. We also have concerns about the role of the consultant, as there was a vote in which the majority voted not to push the planning committee's agenda through, yet the consultant stated that there was. Can you please give me the timeframe to submit a written proposal, if we are allowed to speak. Thanks so much. Michelle Hruschka member of the CAWDB

Will you be submitting a formal presentation?*  
Ø Yes  
Ø No

Requests to speak to Council are forwarded to the Standing Committee for consideration. Once considered by Committee, and approved, you will be notified of the date for your presentation Personal information collected on this form is authorized under Section 5.10(2) of the City's Procedural By-law No. 03-301 for the purpose of contacting individuals and/or organizations requesting an opportunity to appear as a delegation before a Standing Committee and will be published with the Committee Agenda. The Voluntary Lobbyist Registry is a public document and will be available for viewing in the City Clerk's office. The Procedural By-law is a requirement of Section 238(2) of the Municipal Act. Questions about its collection can be directed to the Manager of Legislative Services, 77 James St N, Suite 220, Hamilton, ON L8R 2K3 (905) 546-2424 ext. 5409