



**CITY OF TACOMA, WASHINGTON
OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL
COUNCIL CONSIDERATION REQUEST (CCR)**

TO: City Council
FROM: Councilmember Ryan Mello
COPIES TO: Elizabeth Pauli, City Manager; Executive Leadership Team; file
SUBJECT: Click! network consumer privacy
DATE: April 11, 2017

ITEM/ISSUE PROPOSED FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION:

We request a resolution to restrict private ISPs utilizing the Click! network, from collecting or selling consumer data without express written consent from the customer.

BRIEF BACKGROUND:

In light of recent federal legislation repealing rules requiring Internet Service Providers (ISPs) to get customer permission to collect, use, and sell information about the online habits of consumers, protecting the privacy and security of the customers of Click! Network is a vital concern to the City Council.

The Washington State House of Representatives has proposed legislation (HB 2200) that would institute protections similar to those recently repealed, but it is doubtful those protections would be put in place before the current legislative session ends.



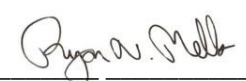
We therefore request that that Tacoma Public Utility Board prohibit internet service providers who have entered into agreements with Tacoma Power to use Click! Network, from collecting or selling personal information without express written approval from the customer.

This resolution would also request the TPU Board prohibit ISPs from refusing to provide services based on the customer refusing to allow data to be collected or sold.

SUBMITTED FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION BY:

Councilmember Anders Ibsen

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