

## **CITY OF VAUGHAN**

### **EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 21, 2018**

Item 1, Report No. 5, of the Committee of the Whole (Closed Session), which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on February 21, 2018, and the confidential recommendations and resolution made public.

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#### **CIVIC HERO AWARD WARD 2**

**The Committee of the Whole (Closed Session) recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following resolution of Councillor Carella, dated February 5, 2018:**

##### **Member's Resolution**

Submitted by Councillor Tony Carella.

Whereas, Giuliano Todaro is a resident of Ward 2 in the City of Vaughan; and

Whereas, at ten years of age, Giuliano was diagnosed with acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), resulting in intense chemotherapy treatment over a period of three-and-one-half years; and

Whereas, Giuliano and his parents Marisa and Tino Todaro subsequently founded Giuliano's Journey, a non-profit corporation that seeks to fund research and promote education to improve the lives of children burdened with leukemia; and

Whereas, Giuliano has been raising funds for pediatric cancer research, making him an inspiration for so many children battling this disease; and

Whereas, Giuliano demonstrates the qualities of strength and courage that constitute a "hero".

##### ***It is therefore recommended:***

- 1. That Giuliano Todaro be awarded the 2017 Civic Hero Award for Ward 2; and**
- 2. That the award be presented at an evening meeting of the Committee of the Whole (Public Hearing) on a date convenient to the honouree.**