

CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF MAY 17, 2016

Item 25, Report No. 21, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on May 17, 2016.

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**PROCLAMATION REQUEST
SENIORS' MONTH**

The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following report of the City Clerk, dated May 3, 2016:

Recommendation

The City Clerk recommends:

1. That June 2016 be proclaimed as Seniors' Month; and
2. That the proclamation be posted on the City's website and published on the City Page online.

Contribution to Sustainability

N/A

Economic Impact

N/A

Communications Plan

The Corporate Communications Department posts proclamations issued by the City on the City's website under "Council – Proclamations" and on the City Page Online.

Purpose

To respond to the request received from the Minister Responsible for Seniors Affairs.

Background - Analysis and Options

Correspondence was received from the Minister Responsible for Seniors Affairs on March 30, 2016.

The proclamation request meets the City's Proclamation Policy, as follows:

"That upon request, the City of Vaughan issue Proclamations for events, campaigns or other similar matters:

- (ii) If the event, campaign or declaration is directly related to matters over which the City has jurisdiction or the City directly sponsors the event, campaign or other matter".

This year marks the 32nd anniversary of Seniors' Month in Ontario. This year will be celebrated under the theme of "Seniors Making a Difference". This theme is fitting given the contributions seniors have made in building their communities, as well as their continued contributions with their time and talents today. Council has previously granted this request.

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Relationship to Term of Council Service Excellence Strategy Map (2014-2018)

This report supports the Term of Council priorities, as outlined in the Service Excellence Strategy Map:

- Continue to ensure the safety and well-being of citizens

Regional Implications

N/A

Conclusion

Staff is recommending that June 2016 be proclaimed as Seniors' Month, and that the proclamation be posted on the City's website and the City Page Online.

Attachment

Attachment 1 Correspondence from Minister Responsible for Seniors Affairs

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(A copy of the attachments referred to in the foregoing have been forwarded to each Member of Council and a copy thereof is also on file in the office of the City Clerk.)