CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF OCTOBER 24, 2017

Item 10, Report No. 35, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted, as amended, by the Council of the City of Vaughan on October 24, 2017, as follows:

By approving that the following Members of Council be appointed to the Older Adult Task Force:

- Councillor DeFrancesca
- Regional Councillor Ferri
- Regional Councillor Singh

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OLDER ADULT TASK FORCE

The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following resolution submitted by Regional Councillor Ferri, dated October 3, 2017:

Member's Resolution

Submitted by Mario Ferri, Deputy Mayor, Local and Regional Councillor.

Whereas, both the City of Vaughan and York Region approved in 2016, older adult/seniors' strategies that share similar actions/recommendations, including their support for age-friendly communities and the promotion of healthy seniors;

Whereas, according to York Region Long Range Planning forecast, Vaughan's population will increase by 18% by 2026 and while there will be an increase across every age group, it is projected that the highest growth area will be in the number of seniors in Vaughan, which is expected to increase by 56% or reach 16.7% of the overall population;

Whereas, the City of Vaughan desires to work collaboratively with relevant parties such as York Region, other municipalities, older adult organizations, higher levels of government, the non-profit sector, and the older adult/citizen community in Vaughan to achieve the objectives of the Vaughan Older Adult Strategy;

Whereas, York Region staff have been consulted on establishing a Vaughan Older Adult Task Force and has reviewed the attached Terms of Reference;

Whereas, the proposed Older Adult Task Force will make recommendations on implementing key action items related to Vaughan's Older Adult Strategy, explore areas of common interest and opportunities to partner, including the creation of older adult multi-service centres/community hubs, share knowledge and best practices, and make recommendations on moving towards an age-friendly community;

It Is therefore recommended:

- 1. That Council approve the establishment of an Older Adult Task Force;
- 2. That the Terms of Reference for the Task Force found in Attachment 1, be approved;
- 3. That the final Task Force Council resolution/Terms of Reference and future meeting reports, be forwarded to York Regional Council.

Attachments

Terms of Reference for the Older Adult Task Force

(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.)