CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE 4, 2013

Item 23, Report No. 23, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on June 4, 2013.

23 REQUEST FOR SERVICES IN KIND BY YORK REGIONAL POLICE

The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following resolution submitted by Councillor lafrate, dated May 21, 2013:

Member's Resolution

Submitted by Councillor Marilyn lafrate

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Attachments

Letter of Request by York Regional Police

(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.)



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Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Iafrate Councillor, Ward 1

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Ms. Marilyn Iafrate Councillor, Ward 1 City of Vaughan 2141 Major Mackenzie Drive Vaughan, Ontario L6A 1T1

Dear Sir/ Madam,

I am writing this letter in support of the partnership between York Regional Police and Catholic Community Services of York Region in the hosting of the 2013 Community Cup Soccer Tournament to be held on June 1, 2013 in the City of Vaughan.

For the past twenty four years, Catholic Community Services of York Region has been a leader in settlement services, enhancement of family harmony, and encouragement of community involvement. Their dedication to providing these and other innovative programs and services over the years have no doubt contributed to the enrichment of the quality of lives of many citizens and new Canadians alike. In this regard, York Regional Police and Catholic Community Services of York Region have also been engaged in the Community Cup Soccer Tournament. In our collaborative efforts for enhanced community outreach and relationship building, the Community Cup event has yielded great success in providing opportunities for cross cultural dialogues and greater knowledge and understanding of our diverse communities in York Region.

This valuable initiative, which focuses on bringing people of diverse backgrounds together is also a part of York Region's Local Immigration Partnership (LIP) Collective Action Plan on Building Community Connections with Diverse Communities, and further addresses community and youth engagement, and crime prevention from a perspective that is relevant to youth and children, while empowering them to make positive and healthy lifestyle choices. In this regard, our partnership with Catholic Community Services of York Region assists in conveying the important messages about positive community development.

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As this event is a not for profit event serving the greater good of our community, I respectfully request that the fees of \$1554.39 being the cost of the rental for the use of the facilities be waived by the City of Vaughan as we also welcome the City of Vaughan to participate in this event. The overall goal of this partnership is to provide opportunities for all communities to celebrate our diversity in the spirit of goodwill and friendship while engaged in friendly soccer matches.

I thank you for your consideration of this matter and look forward to positive response.

Respectfully,

Ricky Veerappan Inspector #545 Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Bureau York Regional Police

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