

**CITY OF VAUGHAN**

**EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE 25, 2013**

Item 38, Report No. 28, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted, as amended, by the Council of the City of Vaughan on June 25, as follows:

***By receiving Communication C6 from the Commissioner of Community Services, dated June 20, 2013.***

**38**

**DEPUTATION – MR. PETER PALLOTTA  
WITH RESPECT TO PARKINSON SUPERWALK IN VAUGHAN**

**The Committee of the Whole recommends:**

- 1) That the deputation of Mr. Peter Pallotta, Maria Antonia Road, Woodbridge, and Communication C1, be received and referred to staff for a report to the Council meeting of June 25, 2013, addressing the deputant's request.**



## memorandum

**DATE:** June 20, 2013

**TO:** Mayor Bevilacqua and Members of Council

**FROM:** Marlon Kallideen, Commissioner of Community Services

**COPY:** Barb Cribbett, Interim City Manager  
Senior Management Team  
Jeffrey Abrams, City Clerk

**RE:** COMMUNICATION C1 – Committee of the Whole – June 11, 2013  
– 1<sup>st</sup> Annual City of Vaughan Parkinson Superwalk

C	<u>6</u>
Item #	<u>38</u>
Report No.	<u>28(cw)</u>
<u>Council - June 25/13</u>	

At the Committee of the Whole meeting of June 11, 2013, Mr. Peter Pallotta on behalf of the Parkinson's Seniors Support Group made a deputation to Council to announce and present information on the 1st Annual City of Vaughan Parkinson's Superwalk. The event will take place at City Hall on Sunday, September 8, 2013 and will include the use of indoor and outdoor space.

The Superwalk is intended as a fundraiser for Parkinson Society Canada. Mr. Pallotta understands and is in agreement with the costs associated for the use of City Hall, however was interested in any assistance to allow for the greatest fundraising possible for the Society.

Following the deputation, the communication was received and referred to staff for a report to the Council meeting of June 25, 2013 on the type of support that is available to the Parkinson's Seniors Support Group for their Parkinson Society Canada fundraiser.

### EVENT PARTICULARS and ASSOCIATED COSTS

Items	Details	Unit Cost	Hours	Total
City Hall Atrium Rental	9am-1pm	216.92	4	867.68
City Hall Courtyard Rental	9:30-10:30am	172.24	1	172.24
Overtime Costs	2 staff	50.00	8	400.00
Subtotal				\$1,439.92
HST	13%			187.19
<b>Total **</b>				<b>\$1,627.11</b>

**\*\* Note:**

- Costs were calculated based on the lowest subsidized rate (Community Service Organization rate); and,
- Costs do not include miscellaneous items such as food, beverages, etc.

### SUPPORT AVAILABLE FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS HOSTING FUNDRAISERS

The following is the City support available to the Parkinson's Seniors Support Group within approved policies and procedures:


- Facilitating the required Services-in-Kind and rental facilities (pending availability);
- Providing this Community Service Organization with the lowest possible subsidized rate;

- Reducing eligible permit fees as per the Council Grants Program\* that *"supports registered charities by reducing permit fees for facilities by 50% for groups operating fundraising events. Groups must donate a minimum of 50% of the reduced permit fees to the charity."* [25% of facility costs only];
- Promotion of the event through the City website; poster, flyers and bulletins could also be posted at local community centres and libraries; and,
- Outreach with community groups and school boards by distributing information.

\* Should an official donation in the minimum amount of 25% of the total facility costs (\$259.98) be received, the City would reduce costs from the total of \$1,627.11 to \$1,039.55 (tax included) for a total discount of \$587.55.

Mr. Pallotta has been advised of and satisfied with the level of support the City is able to offer and staff will work with the group to secure the applicable services while trying to contain costs.

Respectfully submitted,



Marlon Kallideen,  
Commissioner of Community Services

ATTACHMENT NO: 1

C 1
Communication
CW: <u>June 11/13</u>
Item: <u>Dep 2)</u>

Peter Pallotta  
254 Maria Antonia Road  
Woodbridge, Ontario  
L4H 2Z4  
TEL: 905 – 653 – 6947  
CELL: 647 – 222 – 1558  
E-MAIL: [peterpallotta@rogers.com](mailto:peterpallotta@rogers.com)

May 28, 2013

City Of Vaughan  
Rose Magnifico  
Assistant City Clerk  
City Clerk's Office  
2141 Major Mackenzie Drive  
Vaughan, Ontario  
L6A 1T1

RE: DEPUTATION TO THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
MEETING ON TUESDAY JUNE 11, 2013

Thank you Mr. Chairman, Members of Council, City Staff and members of the public who are here today. My name is Peter Pallotta and I would like to take this opportunity to personally Thank all of the members of Council and City Staff for all of the help that was provided to me, so that I could be on today's agenda. I represent the Vaughan Parkinson Support Group. John Scaini who is a member of our group, has been participating in the Parkinson SuperWalk in the City of Toronto for the last ten years. When we started talking about the different Parkinson SuperWalks, the idea came to us that it would be a great event to have in the City of Vaughan. The Parkinson SuperWalk is the largest national fundraising event for Parkinson Society Canada (PSC) and its regional partners. Approximately

14,000 participants from coast – to – coast organize and take part in the Parkinson SuperWalk. In 2012 the Parkinson SuperWalk was very successful by raising \$3.24 million dollars and of this total \$914,580.00 dollars were raised here in Central and Northern Ontario. The funds raised by the Parkinson SuperWalk go directly to fund vital research, education, support and advocacy, on behalf of the over 100,000 Canadians who have Parkinson's disease and their 400,000 family, friends and caregivers. John Scaini and myself started The Vaughan Parkinson SuperWalk Committee. The Committee Members are: Peter Pallotta, Angela Pallotta, John Scaini, Rose Scaini, Marilyne Berman, Alan Routledge, Lucy Pasianotto and Nadia Smith. On Sunday September 8, 2013 we would like to host THE 1<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL CITY OF VAUGHAN PARKINSON SUPERWALK to raise funds and awareness for this illness. Our Committee is asking Council to give us the approval to have the use of City Hall Square, the washrooms inside City Hall, the Cafetorium, the main floor Atrium for Registrations, the parking lots, the use of tables, chairs and garbage bins. We would like approval for the SuperWalk route and related details as follows:

DATE: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2013

TIME: 9:00 A.M. REGISTRATION OPENS (COFFEE AND DONUTS WILL BE AVAILABLE)

10:00 A.M. – OPENING CEREMONIES

10:30 A.M. SUPERWALK STARTING TIME

12:00 NOON – LIGHT SNACKS WILL BE AVAILABLE

ADDRESS: 2141 MAJOR MACKENZIE DRIVE

LOCATION: THE SUPERWALK WILL START AT THE CITY OF VAUGHAN SQUARE AND WILL FINISH BACK AT THE CITY OF VAUGHAN SQUARE

WALKING TIME: THE VAUGHAN PARKINSON SUPERWALK WILL TAKE ABOUT 30 MINUTES TO COMPLETE

ROUTE: FROM CITY OF VAUGHAN SQUARE, WALK NORTH TO MAJOR MACKENZIE DRIVE – TURN LEFT ONTO MAJOR MACKENZIE DRIVE AND WALK TO KEELE STREET – TURN LEFT

AT KEELE STREET AND WALK SOUTH TO BARRHILL ROAD – TURN LEFT ONTO BARRHILL ROAD AND CONTINUE TO MARLOTT ROAD – TURN LEFT ONTO MARLOTT ROAD AND CONTINUE TO THE CIVIC PARK AT 299 MARLOTT ROAD – TURN RIGHT AND WALK THROUGH THE CIVIC PARK UNTIL YOU REACH THE CITY OF VAUGHAN PARKING LOT – TURN RIGHT ONTO THE PARKING LOT AND WALK TO THE FINISH LINE AT THE CITY OF VAUGHAN SQUARE

COFFEE AND DONUTS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE MORNING BEGINNING AT 9:00 A.M. AND A LIGHT SNACK IN THE AFTERNOON BEGINNING FROM 12:00 TO 1:00 P.M.

We would like to request approval to place the PARKINSON SUPERWALK banner at the City of Vaughan Square and to place lawn signs along the route. We would also like to request approval for the Vaughan TV exposure at the City Hall elevators for the time leading upto the event. Rogers TV will be carrying interviews and promotional TV spots during the month of July, August and the beginning of September. We expect to have articles written in the local newspapers such as Vaughan Weekly, Vaughan Citizen, Lo Specchio, etc.

We would be more than pleased to have the Mayor and Members of Council participate in the opening ceremonies of the SuperWalk at approximately 10:00 a.m. in the City of Vaughan Square. We would also like to request if there may be use of entertainment and music for the duration of the event.

Should there be any City of Vaughan By-Laws that pertain to this event, can we please be informed of them by staff? Can we also be informed of the need to have the presence of Fire Department, Police and First Aid Personnel on duty the day of the event?

The VAUGHAN PARKINSON SUPERWALK would be the first of it's kind to be held in The City of Vaughan and a great way to raise funds and bring awareness for a cause that affects thousands of residents in The City of Vaughan and elsewhere. This would be the beginning of an annual event to be held in The City of Vaughan on the second Sunday in

September each year. We hope to have your support to host this event at The City of Vaughan City Hall. We would also like to thank you for taking the time to listen to this request on behalf of myself and The Members of The Vaughan Parkinson SuperWalk Committee.

WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Yours Respectfully,

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Peter Pallotta

Peter Pallotta  
254 Maria Antonia Road  
Woodbridge, Ontario  
L4H 2Z4  
TEL: 905 – 653 – 6947  
CELL: 647 – 222 – 1558  
E-MAIL: [peterpallotta@rogers.com](mailto:peterpallotta@rogers.com)

May 28, 2013

City Of Vaughan  
Rose Magnifico  
Assistant City Clerk  
City Clerk's Office  
2141 Major Mackenzie Drive  
Vaughan, Ontario  
L6A 1T1

RE: DEPUTATION TO THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
MEETING ON TUESDAY JUNE 11, 2013

Thank you Mr. Chairman, Members of Council, City Staff and members of the public who are here today. My name is Peter Pallotta and I would like to take this opportunity to personally Thank all of the members of Council and City Staff for all of the help that was provided to me, so that I could be on today's agenda. I represent the Vaughan Parkinson Support Group. John Scaini who is a member of our group, has been participating in the Parkinson SuperWalk in the City of Toronto for the last ten years. When we started talking about the different Parkinson SuperWalks, the idea came to us that it would be a great event to have in the City of Vaughan. The Parkinson SuperWalk is the largest national fundraising event for Parkinson Society Canada (PSC) and its regional partners. Approximately 14,000 participants from coast – to – coast organize and take part in the Parkinson SuperWalk. In 2012 the Parkinson SuperWalk was very



successful by raising \$3.24 million dollars and of this total \$914,580.00 dollars were raised here in Central and Northern Ontario. The funds raised by the Parkinson SuperWalk go directly to fund vital research, education, support and advocacy, on behalf of the over 100,000 Canadians who have Parkinson's disease and their 400,000 family, friends and caregivers. John Scaini and myself started The Vaughan Parkinson SuperWalk Committee. On Sunday September 8, 2013 we would like to host THE 1<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL CITY OF VAUGHAN PARKINSON SUPERWALK to raise funds and awareness for this illness. Our Committee is asking Council to give us the approval to have the use of the necessary facilities at City Hall that we need to host this event.

We would be more than pleased to have the Mayor, Members of Council and any other City Staff who wish to participate in this event to come and join us in organizing The 1<sup>st</sup> Annual City of Vaughan Parkinson SuperWalk.

The VAUGHAN PARKINSON SUPERWALK would be the first of its kind to be held in The City of Vaughan and a great way to raise funds and bring awareness for a cause that affects thousands of residents in The City of Vaughan and elsewhere. This would be the beginning of an annual event to be held in The City of Vaughan on the second Sunday in September each year. We hope to have your support to host this event at The City of Vaughan City Hall. We would also like to thank you for taking the time to listen to this request on behalf of myself and The Members of The Vaughan Parkinson SuperWalk Committee.

WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Yours Respectfully,

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Peter Pallotta

**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

**JUNE 11, 2013**

**DEPUTATION – MR. PETER PALLOTTA**  
**WITH RESPECT TO PARKINSON SUPERWALK IN VAUGHAN**

The Committee of the Whole recommends:

- 1) That the deputation of Mr. Peter Pallotta, Maria Antonia Road, Woodbridge, and Communication C1, be received and referred to staff for a report to the Council meeting of June 25, 2013, addressing the deputant's request.