

CITY OF VAUGHAN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (1) ADDENDUM AGENDA

(NOTE: ADDENDUMS WILL REQUIRE A TWO-THIRDS VOTE OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT TO BE ADDED TO THE AGENDA)

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Tuesday, January 18, 2022 1:00 p.m. Council Chamber 2nd Floor, Vaughan City Hall 2141 Major Mackenzie Drive Vaughan, Ontario

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DETERMINATION OF ITEMS REQUIRING SEPARATE DISCUSSION INCLUDING MEMBERS RESOLUTION(S) Addendum Listing Addendum Listing 10. CITY OF VAUGHAN MAYOR'S GALA AND MAYOR MAURIZIO BEVILACQUA CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC – RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS FROM SEPTEMBER 1, 2021 TO DECEMBER 31, 2021 Resolution of Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua with respect to the above. 3 11. CITY OF VAUGHAN OPPOSITION TO QUEBEC'S BILL 21, AN ACT RESPECTING THE LAICITY OF THE STATE Resolution of Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua with respect to the above. 7

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MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

Committee of the Whole Report

DATE: Tuesday, January 18, 2022

TITLE: CITY OF VAUGHAN MAYOR'S GALA AND MAYOR MAURIZIO BEVILACQUA CHARITY GOLF CLASSIC – RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS FROM SEPTEMBER 1, 2021 TO DECEMBER 31, 2021

FROM:

Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua

Whereas, the City of Vaughan is committed to fostering an inclusive society; and

Whereas, the May 3, 2011 Council resolution authorized that recipients include, but not be limited to:

- Vaughan Based Charities;
- Not-for-profit Organizations; and
- Community Groups; and

Whereas, the use of the net proceeds was communicated to the public through the Mayor's Gala and the Mayor's Charity Golf Classic material, Council reports and media articles; and

Whereas, the recipient organizations have been identified based on recommendations from Members of Council, community leaders and organization/community requests;

It is therefore recommended that:

1. Council receive the attached list of recipient organizations that have received, for the period from September 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021, net proceeds from the City of Vaughan Mayor's Gala and the Mayor's Charity Golf Classic.

Respectfully submitted,

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Hon. Maurizio Bevilacqua, P.C. Mayor

Attachments

1. City of Vaughan Mayor's Gala and Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua Charity Golf Classic Recipient Organizations from September 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021



Attachment 1

Organizations from September 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021	Amount (\$)
A Touch of Love and Hope	1,000.00
Addiction Services for York Region	10,000.00
Association of Black Law Enforcers (A.B.L.E)	2,500.00
CHATS - Community & Home Assistance to Seniors	5,000.00
Concord West Seniors Club	2,500.00
East Woodbridge Seniors Club	2,500.00
Filipino Seniors Club	2,500.00
First Chinese Senior Association of Vaughan	2,500.00
Flex for Access Inc.	1,000.00
G. Magnotta Foundation for Vector-Borne Diseases	2,500.00
Giuseppe Garibaldi Seniors Club	2,500.00
Hospice Vaughan	15,000.00
Human Endeavour	10,000.00
Maple Italo Canadian Club	2,500.00
Maple Pioneer Italian Seniors Club	2,500.00
Marco's Way Tribute Fund	1,000.00
Martingrove Older Adults Club	2,500.00
Meta Foundation	5,000.00
Parkinson Canada Inc.	2,500.00
Pine York Seniors Club	2,500.00
Pinecrest Seniors Club	2,500.00
Run for Vaughan	10,000.00
Save the Mothers	5,000.00
SAVI - Seniors Association of Vaughan Initiatives	2,500.00
Sonoma Heights Seniors Club	2,500.00
South Asian Seniors Club	2,500.00
Tanya Khan Scholarship Fund	2,500.00
Thornhill African Caribbean Canadian Association	2,500.00
Thornhill Seniors Citizen's Club	2,500.00
Vaughan Cares	5,000.00
Vaughan Public Libraries	15,000.00
Vellore Village Seniors Club	2,500.00
Villa Leonardo Gambin Charity	5,000.00
West Woodbridge Seniors Club	2,500.00
Woodbridge Macedonian Seniors Club	2,500.00



MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

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TITLE: CITY OF VAUGHAN OPPOSITION TO QUEBEC'S BILL 21, AN ACT RESPECTING THE LAICITY OF THE STATE

FROM:

Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua

Whereas, in June 2019, the Province of Quebec legislated Bill 21, "An Act Respecting the Laicity of the State," which forbids public servants from wearing religious symbols in the workplace, including such items as turbans, kippahs, hijabs and visible crucifixes;

Whereas, Bill 21 is a divisive law that undermines equality in the name of secularism and instead contributes to further discrimination and intolerance;

Whereas, Vaughan is home to people of many faiths, and the City of Vaughan affirms that the expression of faith is a fundamental right as provided in the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms;

Whereas, Vaughan is a multicultural community that is proud of its diversity and inclusivity;

Whereas, in January 2020, the City adopted the Vaughan Inclusion Charter in support of the Inclusion Charter for York Region, a document that promotes and celebrates human rights, accessibility and a sense of belonging to promote equal access to opportunities for everyone;

Whereas, Mayor Bevilacqua called an electronic-participation Special Committee of the Whole meeting held on November 25, 2020, to address issues of racism and to further advance and raise awareness about the City's diversity, inclusion and anti-racism efforts.

Whereas, as part of ongoing efforts to advance an agenda of diversity, inclusion and accessibility, the Diversity and Inclusion Task Force was founded. In 2020, the City of Vaughan established the new Diversity and Inclusion Officer role in the corporation, a senior-level position supported by the City's existing Accessibility and Diversity Coordinator;

It is therefore recommended:

- 1. That the City of Vaughan oppose Quebec's Bill 21 and support, in principle, the current legal challenge by the National Council of Canadian Muslims, the World Sikh Organization and the Canadian Civil Liberties Association against the discrimination over religious expression in Quebec's Bill 21; and
- 2. That this member's resolution be forwarded to the City of Vaughan's Diversity, Inclusion Task Force;
- 3. That the City of Vaughan calls upon the Parliament of Canada and all its Members and Federal parties to condemn and challenge Quebec's Bill 21; and
- 4. That a copy of this resolution is sent to Vaughan and York Region MPs, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, Vaughan and York Region MPPs, Premier Doug Ford, the National Council of Canadian Muslims, the Canadian Civil Liberties Association, the World Sikh Organization of Canada, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ontario Big City Mayor's Caucus (OBCM) and be made available to the public.
- 5. That the City's Corporate and Strategic Communications department promote the passage of this resolution on the appropriate corporate communications channels.