

## CITY OF VAUGHAN

### **EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF MARCH 26, 2024**

Item 15, Report No. 7, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on March 26, 2024.

#### **15. PROCLAIMING CANADA ROAD SAFETY WEEK**

**The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendation contained in the following resolution of Councillor Ainsworth, dated March 5, 2024:**

##### **Member's Resolution**

Submitted by Councillor Ainsworth

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**Whereas** the City recognizes that all victims of road-related injuries and deaths serve as a critical reminder of the importance of advancing programs and initiatives supporting road safety and sustainable mobility; and

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## **MEMBER'S RESOLUTION**

### **Committee of the Whole (1)**

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**DATE:** Tuesday, March 05, 2024

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**FROM:**

Councillor Chris Ainsworth

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**Financial and Staff Resource Impact:**

N/A

**Attachments:**

N/A