

CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF APRIL 22, 2024

Item 25, Report No. 14 of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on April 22, 2024.

25. BIG BOUNCE CANADA – SUPPORT FOR 2024 EVENT

The Committee of the Whole recommends approval of the recommendations contained in the resolution of Councillor Adriano Volpentesta, dated April 16, 2024:

Member's Resolution

Submitted by Councillor Adriano Volpentesta

Whereas, Big Bounce Canada is a family-focused event, providing a unique interactive experience in Vaughan;

Whereas, events such as Big Bounce Canada complement the City's vision of fostering a vibrant community life that is inclusive;

Whereas, unique events serve as an opportunity to showcase the variety of attractions in the City and encourage tourism;

Whereas, the City of Vaughan Special Events By-law limits special events to 4 consecutive days within a 30 day period ensuring minimal disruption to the quiet enjoyment of the City of Vaughan;

Whereas, limiting these events would not be conducive to growing Vaughan as a City of Choice, and;

Whereas, permitting the proposed events will include the appropriate limitations and control measures as prescribed within the requirements of the City of Vaughan Special Events By-law and as determined by the Director & Chief Licensing Officer of By-law & Compliance, Licensing and Permit Services, to ensure the safe enjoyment of the event and minimize the possibility of disruption to the residents of Vaughan.

It is therefore recommended:

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MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

Committee of the Whole (2)

DATE: Tuesday April 16, 2024

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Attachments

None