

**MEMBERS RESOLUTION**

**Council Meeting**

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**DATE: October 20, 2021**

**TITLE: Committee of the Whole (Working Session) Report #45, Item #9 CITY-WIDE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING BY-LAW THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VAUGHAN (REFERRED)**

**FROM: Regional Councillor Gino Rosati**

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**WHEREAS** the *Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act, 2002* (“the Act”) replaced the *Cemeteries Act* and the City’s new Zoning By-law has been updated to ensure consistency with the new Act.

**AND WHEREAS** the Act defines ‘Licensed Services’ to include cemetery services, crematorium services, funeral services and transfer services.

**AND WHEREAS** the City’s new Zoning By-law provides a definition for ‘Cemetery’ to specifically permit uses allowed by the Act including a mausoleum or a columbarium and accessory uses.

**AND WHEREAS** Funeral Services and Funeral Establishments are compatible and incidental to Cemetery uses, all permitted, licensed and governed under the Act

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** the City’s new Zoning By-law be amended to revise the definition of ‘Cemetery’ to also permit Funeral Services and Funeral Establishment uses, as defined, and permitted by the Act and as accessory uses to a Cemetery, as follows:

Cemetery: Means land that is used for the interment of human remains and may include a mausoleum or a columbarium, accessory funeral services and funeral establishment and accessory uses as permitted by the *Funeral, Burial, and Cremation Services Act, 2002, S.O. 2002*. Parking for Funeral Establishments shall be provided at a rate of 30 Parking Spaces for the first 100 Square Metres of Gross Floor Area (GFA) and 1 Parking Space for every 20 Square Metres of additional GFA for the Funeral Establishment.