

The Corporation of The Town of Amherstburg

August 14, 2020

VIA EMAIL

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada

Email: justin.trudeau@parl.gc.ca

The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario

Email: premier@ontario.ca

RE: Providing Tax or Other Financial Relief to Non-Profit Service Clubs as a result of COVID-19

At its meeting of August 10th, 2020, Council passed the following resolution for your consideration:

"That Administration BE DIRECTED to send correspondence in support of the City of Windsor's resolution regarding their request for the Province to look into all possible ways of providing tax and/or other financial relief to our community non-profit service clubs and organizations as a result of those organizations not being able to operate and be open as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic."

Enclosed is a copy of the City of Windsor's resolution for convenience and reference purposes.

Regards,

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COUNCIL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

VALERIE CRITCHLEY CITY CLERK

IN REPL	Y, PLEASE	REFER
TO OUR	FILE NO.	

July 28, 2020

Hon. Doug Ford Premier of Ontario Premier's Office Room 281, Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Ford

Windsor City Council, at its meeting held July 13, 2020 adopted the following resolution:

Decision Number: CR333/2020

That a letter **BE SENT** to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario requesting the Province to look into all possible ways of providing tax and/or other financial relief to our community non-profit and service clubs and organizations as a result of those organizations not being able to operate and be open as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic; and further,

That a copy of this resolution of support **BE FORWARDED** to local MPPs and all County of Essex municipalities.

Carried.

Your consideration to Windsor City Council's resolution would be most appreciated.

Sincerely,

Steve Vlachodimos

Deputy City Clerk and Senior Manager of Council Services

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CC:

Ms. Lisa Gretzky, Member of Provincial Parliament, Windsor West Mr. Percy Hatfield, Member of Provincial Parliament, Windsor-Tecumseh Mr. Taras Natyshak, Member of Provincial Parliament, Essex Jennifer Astrologo, Director of Corporate Services/Clerk-Town of Kingsville Mary Birch, Chief Administrative Officer-Town of Essex Kristen Newman, Director of Legislative and Legal Services - Clerk Ruth Orton, Director of Legal & Legislative Services - Municipality of Leamington Paula Parker, Municipal Clerk - Town of Amherstburg Agatha Robertson, Director of Council Services/Clerk - Town of Lasalle