THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF COCHRANE

REGULAR COUNCIL	_	DATE:	April 5, 2022		
		RESOLUTION NO.:		//8 -2022	
		AGENDA ITEM NO.:	_10.1		
MOVED BY _	Befisle				
SECONDED BY	O'Couget	,			

WHEREAS the Year of the Garden 2022 celebrates the Centennial of Canada's horticulture sector; and

WHEREAS gardens and gardening contribute to the quality of life of our municipality and create safe and healthy places where people can come together; and

WHEREAS the Year of the Garden 2022 will highlight and celebrate the important contribution of gardeners, our local gardening organizations, horticultural professionals and local horticultural businesses which contribute to garden culture and the experience garden of our municipality; and

WHEREAS gardens and gardening have helped us face the challenges of the COVID pandemic; and

WHEREAS Communities in Bloom in collaboration with the Canadian Garden Council, invites all municipalities to celebrate the Year of the Garden;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Mayor Denis Clement, on behalf of the Town of Cochrane do hereby proclaim 2022 as the Year of the Garden in celebration of the contribution of gardens and gardening to the development of our country, our municipality and the lives of our citizens in terms of health, quality of life and environmental challenges; and

THAT the Saturday before Father's Day, June 18, 2022, be recognized as Garden Day in the Town of Cochrane as a legacy of Canada's Year of the Garden 2022; and

THAT the Town of Cochrane is committed to be a Garden Friendly Town supporting the development of its garden culture; and

THAT all the municipalities across Canada be invited to proclaim 2022 to be the Year of the Garden in their respective municipalities, and that a copy of this resolution be provided to all municipalities of Ontario, and for that purpose.

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DECLARED T	HE MOTION					
CARRIED DEFEATE DEFERRE REFERRE	D			<u></u>		
RECORDE	D VOTE - Requested by:_					Ily
					Mayor (Act	ing Mayor)
	RECORDED VOTE	FOR	AGAINST	CONFLICT	ABSENT	
	Daniel Bélisle					
	Todd Calaiezzi					
	Denis Clement					
	Rodney Hoogenhoud					
	Robert Hutchinson					
	Desmond O'Connor				· ·	
	Frank Sisco					
	DECLARATION	OF CO	NFLICT OF	INTEREST		
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DISCLOSED HIS/HER INTEREST(S)			VACATED	HIS/HER S	EAT	

ABSTAINED FROM DISCUSSION AND DID NOT VOTE ON THIS QUESTION.