

Committee of the Whole Report For the Meeting of April 18, 2019

| To: | Committee of the Whole |
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Date: April 9, 2019

From: Chris Coates, City Clerk

Subject: Proclamation "Child Abuse Prevention Month" April 2019

RECOMMENDATION

That the *Child Abuse Prevention Month* Proclamation be forwarded to the April 25, 2019 Council meeting for Council's consideration.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Attached as Appendix A is the requested *Child Abuse Prevention Month* Proclamation. Council has established a policy addressing Proclamation requests. The policy provides for:

- A staff report to Committee of the Whole.
- Each Proclamation request requiring a motion approved at Committee of the Whole prior to forwarding it to Council for their consideration.
- Staff providing Council with a list of Proclamations made in the previous year.
- Council voting on each Proclamation individually.
- Council's consideration of Proclamations is to fulfil a request rather than taking a position.

A list of 2018 Proclamations is provided as Appendix B in accordance with the policy. Consistent with City Policy, Proclamations issued are established as fulfilling a request and does not represent an endorsement of the content of the Proclamation.

Respectfully submitted,

Chris Coate

City Clerk

LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

- Appendix A: Proclamation "Child Abuse Prevention Month""
- Appendix B: List of Previously Approved Proclamations