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The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier Room 281 Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Hon. Doug Ford:

Re: Intimate Partner Violence

Please be advised that the following resolution was adopted by Committee of the Whole at its meeting held on September 25, 2023, and subsequently ratified by City Council on October 16, 2023:

" WITH RESPECT to Report 299-2023-City Manager's Office-Strategic Initiatives & Engagement, we recommend that Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) / Gender-Based Violence (GBV) be declared an epidemic;

AND THAT a copy of the resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario and all Ontario municipalities;

AND THAT any necessary by-laws be presented to City Council for ratification."

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Should you have any further questions relative to the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

Dana Earle Deputy City Clerk

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cc: all Ontario municipalities