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From: Sudak, Ashley <Ashley.Sudak@york.ca>

Good afternoon,

This email is to inform you that York Region Transit (YRT) travellers can now pay their YRT fare using credit card.

Starting January 23, 2023, with [PRESTO contactless payment](#), travellers can now tap their credit card or mobile wallet (on their phone or watch) on a PRESTO device to pay their YRT fare. A cash fare of \$4.25 will be charged and a two-hour transfer is automatically included. Visa, Mastercard and American Express credit card payments are accepted on all YRT services, including Mobility On-Request.

- Metrolinx is expanding PRESTO contactless payment to all local 905 transit agencies; participating transit agencies include York Region, GO Transit, UP Express, Brampton, Mississauga, Oakville, Durham Region, Burlington and Hamilton
- Payment by credit card is currently not accepted on TTC; customers travelling on TTC in York Region are encouraged to continue using PRESTO, YRT Pay or Transit Apps, or cash fare
- Frequent transit travellers are still encouraged to take advantage of discounted fares offered through the PRESTO card, YRT Pay App or Transit App

Travellers are being informed of this update through [yrt.ca](#), social media, the YRT Contact Centre, notices at terminals (see attached), and through a Metrolinx-led campaign which will include a media advisory, social media, website and paid media. For more information, visit [yrt.ca/CreditCard](#)

If you have any questions about this initiative, please contact:

- Kyle Catney, Director, Transit Operations, York Region Transit, at 1-877-464-9675 ext. 75637 or Kyle.Catney@york.ca
- Rajeev Roy, Director, Business Planning and Technology, Public Works, at 1-877-464-9675 ext. 75682 or Rajeev.Roy@york.ca

For general inquiries, please contact the YRT Contact Centre at 1-866-668-3978 or via email at transitinfo@york.ca

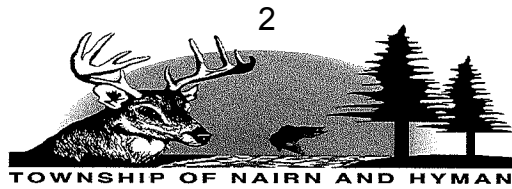
It may be appropriate for your office to forward this notice to your elected officials and staff as required.

Thank you,

Ashley Sudak | Transportation Communications and Social Media Specialist,
Strategic Initiatives & Programs, Public Works

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January 23, 2023

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

Dear Honourable Premier:

Please be advised our Council adopted the following support resolution at their meeting of January 9, 2023:

SUPPORT RESOLUTION RE: OPPOSITION TO BILL 23, MORE HOMES BUILT FASTER ACT, 2022

RESOLUTION # 2023-1-12

MOVED BY: Trevor McVey

SECONDED BY: Rod MacDonald

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Nairn and Hyman endorse and supports the resolution of the Town of Newmarket formally expressing its opposition to Bill 23 due to its negative impact on many municipalities' ability to support growth and the infrastructure required while providing the legislated increase to the supply of housing; and

WHEREAS the Association of Municipalities of Ontario have provided a preliminary analysis of Bill 23, which indicates the transfer of up to \$1 Billion a year in costs from private sector developers to property taxpayers without any likelihood of improved housing affordability while also undermining environmental protection;

AND THAT a copy of this resolution be provided to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario and the Town of Newmarket.

CARRIED

Sincerely Yours,

Melanie Bilodeau
Deputy Clerk - Treasurer

cc: Hon. Steve Clark, Municipal Affairs and Housing
AMO
Town of New Market



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December 15, 2022

Sent via email

RE: Bill 23, More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022

I am writing to advise you that at the Council meeting held on December 12, 2022, Council adopted the following recommendations regarding the above referenced matter:

Whereas the Government of Ontario recently passed Bill 23, More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022 without providing meaningful or adequate opportunity for municipalities to provide input on ways to increase the supply of housing and to improve housing affordability in Ontario while ensuring the financial capacity of municipalities to support growth and protection of the environment; and,

Whereas Bill 23 will have significant negative impact on heritage housing, green standards, environmental protection of wetlands, conservation, social housing and other significant areas of concern; and,

Whereas a preliminary analysis of Bill 23 by the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) indicates the transfer of up to \$1 billion a year in costs from private sector developers to property taxpayers without any likelihood of improved housing affordability while also undermining environmental protection; and,

Whereas the Town of Newmarket has been specifically identified as a growth area, with a target to introduce 12,000 new homes by 2031, despite a lack of sewage capacity until the southern solution as mandated by the province is completed; and,

Whereas municipal estimates vary between a property tax impact of Bill 23 between five and 15 per cent; and,

Whereas a growing number of municipalities have joined in expressing their concern with the negative impacts of Bill 23;

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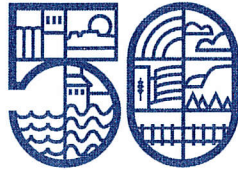
Therefore be it resolved,

1. That the Town of Newmarket formally express its opposition to Bill 23 in its current form and that this resolution be forwarded to the Premier, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing Steve Clark, and MPP Newmarket-Aurora Dawn Gallagher-Murphy; and,
2. That the Town of Newmarket formally submits its inability to meet the stated target of 12,000 new homes by 2031; and,
3. That a copy of this resolution also be sent to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, and all Ontario municipalities.

Yours sincerely,

Kiran Saini
Deputy Clerk

Copy:
Association of Municipalities of Ontario
All Ontario municipalities



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Tuesday, January 24, 2023

Hon. Doug Ford, Premier
Hon. Sylvia Jones, Health Minister

Re: Bill 42 - Gender Affirming Healthcare Act

Please be advised that the following resolution was adopted by Committee of the Whole at its meeting held on January 16, 2023 and subsequently ratified by City Council on January 23, 2023.

“WITH RESPECT to the Memorandum from Councillor Kristen Oliver, Chair – Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee, dated January 3, 2023, we recommend that Council support the passing of Bill 42 – Gender Affirming Health Care Act;

AND THAT a copy of this resolution be sent to Premier Doug Ford, Health Minister Sylvia Jones, MPP Kevin Holland, MPP Lise Vaugeois, Rainbow Collective, MPP Kristen Wong-Tam, all Ontario Municipalities and Thunder Pride;

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

CARRIED

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

Yours very truly,

Dana Earle
Deputy City Clerk

/gs

Cc:

MPP Kevin Holland
MPP Lise Vaugeois
Rainbow Collective
MPP Kristen Wong-Tam
All Ontario Municipalities
Thunder Pride



January 25th, 2023

Minister for Women and Gender Equality
 P.O. Box 8097, Station T CSC
 Ottawa, ON K1G 3H6

ATTENTION: Honorable Marci Ien

Dear Minister Ien:

RE: Resolution – Violence Against Women

Please be advised that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lanark Highlands passed the following resolution at their regular meeting held January 10th, 2023:

Moved by Reeve McLaren

Seconded by Councillor Summers

THAT, the Council of the Township of Lanark Highlands supports the resolution from the County of Lanark regarding Violence Against Women;

AND THAT, this resolution be circulated to all Ontario Municipalities, local MP's and MPP's, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, and the Ministry of the Attorney General, Ministry of Women's Social and Economic Opportunity, and the Federal Ministry of Women and Gender Equality.

Resolved

Sincerely,

Amanda Noël

Amanda Noël,
 Clerk

Encls.

c.c. All Ontario Municipalities
 Local MP's and MPP's
 Association of Municipalities
 Ministry of the Attorney General
 Ministry of Women's Social and Economic Opportunity



All Ontario Municipalities

December 15, 2022

To Whom it May Concern:

On Wednesday December 14th, 2022 Lanark County Council passed the following motion:

MOTION #CC-2022-235

MOVED BY: R. Kidd **SECONDED BY:** B. Dowdall

Be it resolved that the Lanark County Council recognizes the issues of violence in rural communities as serious to the health and wellness of local families; and

Be it further resolved that the Lanark County Council recognizes the rural Renfrew County Coroner's Inquest as important to all rural communities; and

Based on the statistics of 4815 crisis calls and service provision to 527 women and children in our local community, the Lanark County Council declares IPV (intimate partner violence)/VAW (violence against women) an epidemic as per recommendation #1 of the Renfrew County Coroner's jury recommendations; and

That this resolution be circulated to all municipalities in Ontario, local MPs and MPPs, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, and the Ministry of the Attorney General, Ministry of Women's Social and Economic Opportunity, and the Federal Ministry of Women and Gender Equality.

Further background on the Renfrew Inquest Recommendations can be found at this link: https://lukesplace.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/CKW-Inquest-Verdict-Recommendations-SIGNED_Redacted.pdf

Thank you,

Jasmin Ralph, Clerk

Cc: Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Scott Reid, MP, John Jordan, MPP, Ministries of the Attorney General, Justice, Women's Social and Economic Opportunity, and the Federal Ministry of Women's Issues.

January 25, 2023

Hon. Steven Lecce, Minister of Education
MPP Bob Bailey, Sarnia-Lambton
County of Lambton
Municipalities of Lambton County and Ontario

Via email

During the December 12, 2022, regular meeting of council, the following resolution was passed:

Moved: Bill Clark Seconded: Debb Pitel

WHEREAS in the Province of Ontario, municipalities are responsible to conduct the election process on behalf of the school boards; and

WHEREAS an extensive amount of resources, time and management to advertise, co-ordinate and complete these trustee elections is placed on the municipality; and

WHEREAS municipalities do not receive any compensation or re-imburement for use of orchestration of the school board trustee elections.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Petrolia request that staff forward this motion to the Hon. Steven Lecce, Minister of Education, MPP Bob Bailey, Ontario Municipal Councils and the County of Lambton requesting that school boards become responsible for conducting their own trustee elections or at minimum municipalities be compensated by the school boards for overseeing such trustee elections;

Carried

Kind regards,

Original Signed

Mandi Pearson
Clerk/Operations Clerk

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Regular Meeting of Council

MOVED BY: Councillor Crabtree

RESOLUTION:18-2023

SECONDED BY: Councillor Kenny

DATE: January 17, 2023

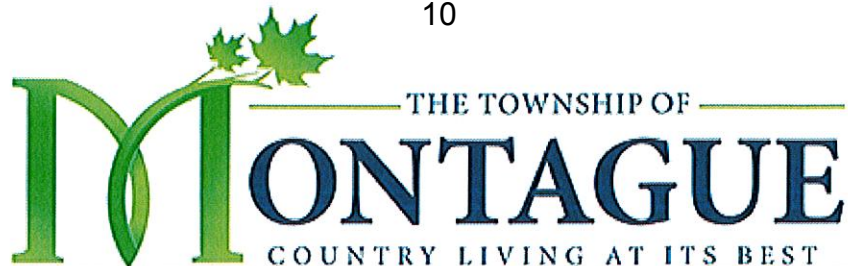
That Council support World Thinking Day initiative and request staff to purchase a blue flood light and display on World Thinking Day February 22, 2023 at the Municipal Office;

And that Council approves the Clerk Administrator to circulate the request out to Lanark County and Lanark County Lower Tier municipalities.

 CARRIED DEFEATED



REEVE



Regular Meeting of Council

MOVED BY: Councillor Kenny

RESOLUTION: ²⁹⁵~~294~~-2022

SECONDED BY: Deputy Reeve Carroll

DATE: December 20, 2022

That Council support the resolution provided from the County of Lanark regarding Renfrew Inquest Recommendations;

And That this resolution be circulated to all municipalities in Ontario, local MPs and MPPs, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, and the Ministry of the Attorney General, Ministry of Women's Social and Economic Opportunity, and the Federal Ministry of Women and Gender Equality.

 CARRIED DEFEATED

REEVE

From: [Emily Cartlidge](#)
To: [Clerks](#)
Cc: [Piccinico, David](#)
Subject: Township of Hamilton Resolution of Support - Newmarket re: Opposition to Bill 23
Date: January 26, 2023 3:45:47 PM
Attachments: [FW Bill 23 More Homes Built Faster Act 2022.msg](#)

CAUTION: This email originated outside of the Town of Newmarket. **DO NOT** click links or open attachments unless you recognize the sender and trusted content.

Hello,

At its January 17, 2023 Regular Meeting, the Council of the Township of Hamilton passed the following resolution:

RES:2023-13

Moved by Deputy Mayor Larry Williamson, Seconded by Councillor Mark Lovshin

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hamilton enacts as follows: That Agenda Items 17.2, 17.4, 17.5, 17.6 and to 17.7 of the January 17, 2023 Regular Council Meeting Agenda be received and a resolution in support be prepared and forwarded to the Province of Ontario.

CARRIED

This includes Newmarket's correspondence regarding opposition to Bill 23 (Agenda Item #17.4 - attached).

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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January 25, 2023

VIA EMAIL

Hon. Chrystia Freeland, PC, MP
 Ministry of Finance
 90 Elgin Street
 Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0G5

Dear Deputy Prime Minister,

Re: Lake Simcoe – Freshwater Action Plan – Federal Funding Motion

At its Regular Meeting of Council held on Tuesday, January 17, 2023, the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury Council approved the following resolution:

Resolution 2022-10
 Moved by: Scott
 Seconded by: Ferragine

Whereas Lake Simcoe is one of Ontario's largest watersheds, home to First Nations since time immemorial, and situated in the growing Greater Toronto Area communities of Simcoe County, York Region, Durham Region, and the cities of Barrie and Orillia; and

Whereas the watershed faces threats due to eutrophication, largely from phosphorus runoff and other contaminants into the lake and its tributaries; and

Whereas the lake is a significant source of drinking water, as well as being integral for local recreation, tourism, agriculture and other key economic drivers; and

Whereas the previous Conservative federal government funded a "Lake Simcoe Clean-Up Fund" of \$65 million over 10 years between 2007-2017, but that fund has not been renewed by the current government; and

Whereas during the 2019 federal election, the Hon. Chrystia Freeland MP committed \$40 million over 5 years towards Lake Simcoe; and

Whereas during the 2021 federal election, the Liberal Party of Canada committed to "Implement a strengthened Freshwater Action Plan, including an historic investment of \$1 billion over 10 years. This plan will provide essential funding to protect and restore large lakes and river systems, starting with the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River System, Lake Simcoe..."; and

Whereas the Conservative Party of Canada also committed to re-funding the Lake Simcoe Clean-Up Fund in the 2019 and 2021 general elections with an investment of \$30 million over five years; and

Whereas further to the Minister of the Environment and Climate Change's mandate letter, which directs the Minister to "...establish a Canada Water Agency and implement a strengthened Freshwater Action Plan, including a historic investment to provide funding to protect and restore large lakes and river systems, starting with the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River System, Lake Simcoe..."; and

Whereas the 2022 federal budget included a new "Freshwater Action Fund" with a one-year commitment of \$19.6 million to help watersheds across the country, including Lake Simcoe, but any details and next steps are still to be announced; and

Be it resolved, therefore, that the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury:

- A. Supports federal funding for Lake Simcoe that represents a significant percentage of the overall Freshwater Action Plan Fund, with funding and details beginning in the 2023 that would honour Minister Freeland's commitment to Lake Simcoe of \$40 million over 5 years;
- B. Asks that such federal funding be used to undertake:
 - o Shoreline mitigation and restoration, including in the tributaries of the Holland River, Maskinonge River and Black River, and the Holland Marsh,
 - o Planting of 250,000 trees in the watershed,
 - o Projects to ameliorate contaminated sites in the watershed,
 - o Upgrades to help retrofit and improve the environmental efficiency of municipal infrastructure such as wastewater and stormwater facilities,
 - o Purchasing and conservation of more natural heritage sites such as forests and wetlands under the auspices of the Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority (LSRCA); and
- C. That a copy of this resolution, along with a letter from the Mayor, be sent to the federal Minister of Finance; the Minister of the Environment and Climate Change; the President of the Treasury Board; the Members of Parliament for York—Simcoe, Newmarket—Aurora, Barrie—Springwater—Oro-Medonte, Barrie—Innisfil, Simcoe North, Haliburton—Kawartha Lakes—Brock, and Durham; and to all Lake Simcoe-region municipalities and the LSRCA, with a request for their endorsement."

CARRIED.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Regards,



Tara Reynolds
Deputy Clerk, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury
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treynolds@townofbwg.com

CC: Hon. Steven Guilbeault PC MP, Minister of the Environment and Climate Change
Hon. Mona Fortier PC MP, President of the Treasury Board
Scot Davidson, MP York—Simcoe
Tony Van Bynen, MP Newmarket—Aurora
Doug Shipley, MP Barrie—Springwater—Oro-Medonte
John Brassard, MP Barrie—Innisfil
Adam Chambers, MP Simcoe North
Jamie Schmale, MP Haliburton—Kawartha Lakes—Brock
Erin O'Toole, MP Durham
Lake Simcoe Region Municipalities
LSRCA

January 25, 2023

VIA EMAIL

Hon. Chrystia Freeland PC MP
Ministry of Finance
90 Elgin Street
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0G5

Dear Deputy Prime Minister,

I am writing to you today to make a pre-budget submission in accordance with a motion presented by my colleagues Councillor Jonathan Scott and Councillor Peter Ferragine, and passed unanimously by our Town Council asking that the federal government fulfil bipartisan commitments towards creating a Lake Simcoe Restoration Fund in the upcoming federal budget.

The motion is enclosed for your reference.

As you know, both local Liberal and Conservative MPs ran on the promise of restoring and exceeding funding that used to exist to help protect Lake Simcoe under the auspices of the Lake Simcoe Clean-up Fund. You yourself made such a commitment of a \$40-million fund during the 2019 election in Barrie. The commitment to a billion-dollar Freshwater Action Fund, which would include funding for Lake Simcoe, is in the Hon. Steven Guibeault's mandate letter as Minister of the Environment and Climate Change.

The 2022 federal budget did include a new "Fresh Water Action Fund" of roughly \$20 million, but no further details have yet been announced. We ask that funding greater than previous commitments be invested to protect the Lake Simcoe watershed in this year's budget. Such funding should be over and above previous commitments given that funding for the Lake has been in hiatus since the previous fund expired in 2017, and due to inflationary pressures. As the motion outlines, such funding could be used for land conservation, shoreline restoration, cleaning up contaminated sites, reducing discharges from existing wastewater treatment plants, and other tangible means to restore the health of the watershed.

Our region, and Bradford West Gwillimbury in particular, is growing, and so we need to take environmental mitigation and restoration efforts seriously, alongside a federal partner.

I understand this motion is being considered by other municipalities across our region, demonstrating, I believe, the great unity in our area for federal action to protect Lake Simcoe.

Thank you for considering this request.

Sincerely yours,



James Leduc
Mayor
Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury

CC: Hon. Steven Guilbeault PC MP, Minister of the Environment and Climate Change
Hon. Mona Fortier PC MP, President of the Treasury Board
Scot Davidson, MP York—Simcoe
Tony Van Bynen, MP Newmarket—Aurora
Doug Shipley, MP Barrie—Springwater—Oro-Medonte
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C/o Ms. Lisa Lyons Director, Legislature Services Town Clerk

Corporate Services Commission, Town of Newmarket, Ontario

October 31, 2022

Dear Ms. Lyons:

In 1995 a Federal proclamation declared February as Black History Month in Canada.

On Behalf of the Newmarket African Caribbean Canadian Association, I would like to respectfully request that the month of February 2023 be proclaimed Black History Month in the Town of Newmarket. The period is from February 1, 2023 to February 28, 2023.

The purpose of Black History Month:

- To provide opportunity for the Town of Newmarket to formally commemorate and recognize the past and present contributions that African Canadians make to the life of Canada in such areas as education, medicine, art, culture, public service, economic development, politics and human rights.
- It also essentially seeks to level the imbalance in historical perspective. Few Canadians know that slavery once existed in Canada, or that many of the British Loyalists who came here after the American Revolution were Black.

Enclosed you will find a composed proclamation which we hope the Mayor will sign to memorialize this proclamation in the town of Newmarket.

As indicated in the application, we would like to have the community flag raising on February 1, 2023 and the lighting on February 9, 2023.

NACCA in collaboration with the Town of Newmarket is prepared to host some events to celebrate Black History Month. The theme for 2023 is The Black Family: Source of Perseverance and Resilience. A schedule of activities will be available in December, 2022

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jerisha Grant-Hall', is written over a horizontal line.

Jerisha Grant-Hall
Chairperson, Newmarket African Caribbean Canadian Association (NACCA)

The Corporation of the Town of Newmarket
Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

Black History Month recognizes the contributions that People of African and Caribbean descent have made to Canada shaping its identity; and

Whereas: Black History Month was first recognized in Ontario in 1995 and celebrated nationally in 1996; and

Whereas: The United Nations proclaimed 2015-2024 the Decade for people of African Descent, an important step in the international community recognizing that people of African descent represent a distinct group whose human rights must be promoted and protected; and

Whereas: The Town of Newmarket continues to work toward becoming an inclusive community in which all citizens past, present and future are respected and recognized for their contributions to our community; and

Whereas: Black History Month continues to provide the Town of Newmarket with the opportunity to celebrate the contributions and vital role that Canadians of African descent have made to strengthen the social and cultural mosaic of our community, province and country;

Now, Therefore: I, John Taylor, Mayor of the Town of Newmarket, do hereby proclaim

February 1 - 28, 2023 - Black History Month

In the Town of Newmarket and do commend its thoughtful observance to all citizens of our municipality.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 2023

His Worship, Mayor John Taylor



**Town of Newmarket Council Extract
Council - Electronic**

Title: 9.1.3 - Black History Month

Date: Monday, January 23, 2023

1. That the deputation provided by Jerisha Grant-Hall, Chairperson, Founder, Newmarket African Caribbean Canadian Association (NACCA) regarding Black History Month be received; and,
2. That henceforth February be proclaimed as Black History Month; and,
3. That Staff be authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to this resolution.

Carried



Simon Granat
Legislative Coordinator
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January 24, 2023

Sent to: director@naccacommunity.ca

Dear Pauline Jones:

RE: Proclamation Request – Black History Month – February 2023

I am writing to advise that your proclamation request has been approved in accordance with the Council-approved [Proclamation, Lighting Request and Community Flag Raising Policy](#), and at the January 23, 2023 meeting of Newmarket Town Council, Council passed a motion to proclaim Black History Month henceforth in future years. For reference, I have attached the resolution. Approved proclamations, lighting requests, and community flag raisings will be listed on the Town's website. Approved lighting and community flag raisings will also be communicated to the public through the Town's social media.

In addition, the Fred A. Lundy Bridge located on Water Street will be illuminated in green on February 9, 2023 to recognize Black History Month. Please note that the lighting will occur from sunset until 11:00 PM.

In addition, the community flag pole located at Peace Park on Cane Parkway will fly your flag on February 1, 2023 to recognize Black History Month. Additionally, your flag will be flown for the remainder of the month if there are no conflicting community flag raising requests. Please note that the flag must be dropped off at the Town of Newmarket Operations Centre at 1275 Maple Hill Court by 4:00 PM on January 30, 2023, ATTN: Nick Evans. Alternatively, you can leave it in the drop off box at the front of the building after 4:00 PM.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Simon Granat", written over a horizontal line.

Simon Granat

Legislative Coordinator



January 24, 2023

Sent to: director@naccacommunity.ca

Dear Pauline Jones:

RE: Proclamation Request – Black History Month – February 2023

On behalf of the Town of Newmarket Council I am pleased to recognize February as Black History Month.

In addition, the Fred A. Lundy Bridge located on Water Street will be illuminated in green on February 9, 2023 from sunset until 11:00 PM.

In addition, the community flag pole located at Peace Park on Cane Parkway will fly your flag beginning on February 1, 2023

Thank you for submitting your request and for your contributions to the community.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Taylor".

John Taylor
Mayor