

Council Meeting Number 09-2024
Addendum
Tuesday, March 5, 2024

Delegations

The consent of Council is requested for the **addition** of Delegation Number 3.

3. Roberta Hamilton will appear before Council to speak to New Motion 1 with respect to Guaranteed Basic Income.

(Added to Addendum March 4, 2024)

Miscellaneous Business

The consent of Council is requested for the **addition** of Miscellaneous Business Numbers 3 and 4.

3. Moved by Councillor Tozzo

Seconded by Councillor Amos

That the resignation of Roxanna Gholami from the Kingston & Frontenac Housing Corporation Board of Directors be received with regret; and

That in accordance with Section 3.3.2 d. of the Public Appointment Policy, Steven Silver be appointed from the reserve pool to the Kingston & Frontenac Housing Corporation Board of Directors for a term ending November 30, 2024.

(See Communication 09-281)

(Added to Addendum February 29, 2024)

4. Moved by Deputy Mayor Stephen

Seconded by Councillor Glenn

That the Special Council Meeting – Education & Training Session scheduled for Tuesday, April 30, 2024 at 6:00 pm be rescheduled to Monday, April 22, 2024 at 6:30 pm.

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New Motions

The consent of Council is requested for the **addition** of New Motion Number 2.

2. Moved by Councillor Tozzo

Seconded by Deputy Mayor Stephen

Whereas City Council's 2023-2026 Strategic Plan includes a priority to "Increase access to healthcare professionals and services"; and

Whereas the City of Kingston invested \$2,000,000 in 2021 and subsequently \$1,000,000 in 2024 to support attraction of additional family physicians and health care providers; and

Whereas the City of Kingston's investments and efforts have contributed to secure 18 new family physicians, including four physicians to be at the Periwinkle primary care clinic; and

Whereas currently 30,000 people in Kingston are without a family doctor; and

Whereas during the week of February 26, 2024, hundreds of citizens of Kingston lined up in the middle of the night during winter, merely to get a chance to be rostered with a family doctor; and

Whereas health care services, including primary care, is a provincial responsibility and the Province has not provided the City with any financial support for these family physician recruitment initiatives;

Therefore Be It Resolved That the City of Kingston request that the Province of Ontario review service standards for underserved communities, such as Kingston, and actively work with communities to increase access to primary care; and

That the Ministry of Health designate Kingston as an Area of High Physician Need due to the fact the ministry counts all researchers, teachers, and professors with a medical doctorate in Kingston's catchment area, not just those practicing family medicine; and

That the province establish a regulatory framework to prevent municipalities from competing against each other for physicians and primary care providers; and

That a copy of this motion be sent to the Honourable Sylvia Jones M.P.P., Minister of Health, Ted Hsu M.P.P., Kingston and the Islands, John Jordan M.P.P., Lanark-Frontenac-Kingston, Mark Gerretsen M.P.P., Kingston and the Islands, Scott Reid, M.P., Lanark-

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Frontenac-Kingston, and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario.

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Communications

The consent of Council is requested for the **addition** of Communication Number 09-281.

09-281 Correspondence received from Roxanna Gholami with respect to resignation from Kingston & Frontenac Housing Corporation, dated February 26, 2024.

(Distributed to all members of Council on February 29, 2024)

(Added to Addendum February 29, 2024)