



## MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

<b>Date:</b>	<b>DECEMBER 6, 2011 - COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</b>
<b>Title:</b>	<b>CELEBRATING THE DIAMOND JUBILEE OF HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN</b>
<b>Submitted by:</b>	<b>Councillor Tony Carella</b>

**WHEREAS** former Councillor Terry Goodwin has generously donated for display in the new city hall a copy, in oil, of a portrait of Benjamin Vaughan (1751-1835), after whom the City of Vaughan was named; and

**WHEREAS** Her Majesty the Queen is approaching her diamond jubilee, the sixtieth anniversary of her accession to the throne on February 6, 1952; and

**WHEREAS** a photograph of the Queen was a permanent feature of the Council chamber in the former city hall; and

**WHEREAS** the installation of a high-quality graphic reproduction of a portrait of the Queen---one that reflects an artistic standard equal to that of the Benjamin Vaughan portrait, would be a suitable means of commemorating the Queen's Diamond Jubilee;

### **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**

That staff be directed to purchase with funds from the Council Corporate budget a printed copy of Pietro Annigoni's first portrait of the Queen, commissioned by the Worshipful Company of Fishmongers (chartered in 1272) and completed in 1954---considered by many art experts to be the finest portait ever done of the Queen; and

That such copy and its frame be of a size and quality that complements the Benjamin Vaughan portrait, as framed; and

That both portraits be hung and officially unveiled in the new chamber on some suitable date during the 2012 calendar year, as part of the celebration of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee in Canada.

Respectfully submitted,

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