COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - OCTOBER 4, 2004

WARD 2 COUNCILLOR TONY CARELLA BE APPOINTED TO THE WOODBRIDGE MUSEUM TASK FORCE

Recommendation

Mayor Michael Di Biase recommends:

That Ward 2 Councillor Tony Carella be appointed to the Woodbridge Museum Task Force.

Purpose

To fill the vacancy on the Woodbridge Museum Task Force previously held by Regional Councillor Gino Rosati, to which position he was appointed by Council on April 3, 2000 while serving as Councillor for Ward 2.

Background - Analysis and Options

In 2000, the City created the Woodbridge Museum Task Force, to pursue the goal of establishing a community museum at the Wallace House, in the Woodbridge Core. Then-Regional Councillor Michael Di Biase and then-Ward 2 Councillor Gino Rosati were appointed to the task force, whose other members include three members of the Woodbridge Rotary and staff.

As the museum is viewed as a potential tourist attraction, it is appropriate that Councillor Carella, Co-Chair of the Vaughan Tourism Advisory Committee, be appointed.

Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2007

Section 6.4.2 reads "Create increased awareness of the City's leadership on key issues and celebrate our successes and achievements".

Conclusion

It is appropriate to fill the City's present vacancy on the Woodbridge Museum Task Force by appointing the councilor who is most closely associated with our determination to improve our status as a tourism destination.

Attachments

None.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Di Biase Mayor