



MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

Date:	OCTOBER 25, 2011 – COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
Title:	CTV TOY MOUNTAIN EVENT REQUEST
Submitted by:	Councillor Sandra Yeung Racco

Whereas, in December 2010, the City of Vaughan hosted a CTV Toy Mountain event at the North Thornhill Community Centre; and

Whereas, CTV News and the Toy Mountain Drive have formally requested of the Ward 4 Council office that the City of Vaughan host another Toy Mountain drive at the North Thornhill Community Centre in December 2011; and

Whereas, the local ratepayers association has also approached the Ward 4 Council office to express an interest in hosting a goodwill event, such as the CTV Toy Mountain drive, in the Concord/North Thornhill area that will benefit the greater community; and

Whereas, the CTV Toy Mountain Drive is in keeping with the spirit of generosity and community giving that the City of Vaughan promotes, and is therefore in keeping with priorities previously set by Council;

Be it therefore resolved that the City of Vaughan officially support the CTV Toy Mountain Drive for 2011; and

That the City of Vaughan provide a permit at no charge for a Toy Mountain drop box to be set up at the North Thornhill Community Centre for the month of December 2011; and

That the permit for the facility and the services-in-kind be provided at no charge for the evening that CTV News schedules for the live onsite taping of the 6:00 pm news Toy Mountain Drive event; and

That Recreation and Culture staff, in conjunction with the Ward 4 Council office and CTV News staff, organize a subsidized recreational swim night at the North Thornhill Community Centre, where a toy donation can be used in lieu of payment for recreational swim; and

That Buildings and Facilities staff and Recreation and Culture staff provide support as needed for the set up, clean up and organization of the above noted events; and

That the Corporate Communications Department advertise the Toy Mountain Drive via the City's website and social networking sites, a media advisory, and a news release.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Yeung Racco
Councillor, Ward 4 (Concord/Thornhill North)

Attachments

None