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To: Members of Kingsville Council From: Kingsville Striking Committee

RE: 2019-2022 Appointments to Boards and Committees for Kingsville

Members of the Kingsville Striking Committee, comprised of Mayor Nelson Santos, Deputy Mayor Gord Queen and Councillor Tony Gaffan met on Wednesday, January 2nd to review applications for Lay Appointees to various municipal boards and committees to represent the Town of Kingsville.

The Committee is pleased to report that 73 letters of interest and applications were received for the various lay appointments in addition to the Council member committee requests. A summary report of the recommended committee appointments is attached for Council consideration.

While the level of interest from the community has increased, there are a set of committees that are not at full complement and still have vacancies for community volunteers and representation. Under the Accessibility Committee, there are two vacant positions for persons recognized with a disability to serve. In an effort to meet these legislative requirements, it is recommended that invitation letters be sent to area organizations who support persons with disabilities seeking potential candidates for these positions in addition to a new round of public advertising for members. Additional vacancies are found in the Migration Festival, Communities in Bloom, and Fantasy of Lights committees, and the request is to also open up public notice seeking members of the public to apply.

Respectfully submitted,

Mayor Nelson Santos