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To Council of the Town of Kingsville 2021 Division Street North Kingsville, Ontario

Kingsville, Windsor, and Essex County Have Changed Background & Notice of Motion, Proposed Mega Hospital

Following the second world war (in 1946) the Kinsmen Club of Kingsville purchased our first ambulance to serve the needs of this community. In 1949 I was born in the Grace Hospital located in the City of Windsor.

Kingsville once had a Maternity Home called the Green home. My great Uncle Ernie Queen often spoke of driving ladies to this site when running a taxi service. Timing was important then as it is now.

Over the past few years, I have attended, Learnington, Hotel Dieu, Met, St Joseph's, and the new London Victoria Hospitals.

County Tax Payer Funds for the New Mega Hospital proposed to be built within the City of Windsor to serve the residents of the City of Windsor, and County of Essex.

Therefore at the Next Regular Meeting of Council I may move, or Cause to have Moved:

Whereas the needs of Windsor and Essex County Population and Medical Needs have increased over the past 50 years, and the actual growth of the City of Windsor recognized the need for growth in 2003 with the annexation of Tecumseh lands for future development.

Whereas the new Mega Hospital Site selection process considered not only past needs but the future needs of the City and County Residents for years to come.

Whereas when the OMB appeal process was ended the Province indicated a desire to put more faith and consideration in the decisions of local elected councils.

Whereas the population growth within Essex County reflects the anticipation that near equal populations will exist between the two groups, called the City of Windsor and County of Essex

Whereas the two respective populations are expected to each contribute approximately 100 million towards the Mega Hospital Construction, based on the Current proposed Site.

Whereas the residents of the County of Essex will not only benefit by reduced travel time, but the City of Windsor Residents will remain with critical services in the core area of the old City Limits.

Whereas the anticipated site development plan indicated as indicated by a former City of Windsor Council member indicated need for 60 acres.

Whereas the New Hospital similar to London Victoria Hospital will not only serve the residents but also enhance the Medical School opportunities for learning.

Therefore be it resolved that the Town Of Kingsville supports moving forward with the new Mega Hospital in the Proposed Location, to serve the entire combined region.

And that upon passing, such Resolution be sent to the City of Windsor, County of Essex, The Premier, The Minister of Health, The Minister of Municipal Affairs, The Local MPPS and MPP Pettipiece.

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