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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY CLERK
File 4-6

SENT VIA EMAIL

April 23, 2021

Sandra Kitchen, Deputy Clerk-Council Services
Town of Kingsville
2021 Division Road North
Kingsville, ON N9Y 2Y9

Dear Sandra Kitchen:

At the Regular Meeting of Council held on Monday, April 19, 2021, Council passed Motion No. 079/21 which supports your resolution pertaining to Bill C-21, An Act to make certain consequential amendments (firearms).

Accordingly, I have enclosed a copy of the motion as well as your original request.

I trust you will find this satisfactory, but should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact my office at your convenience.

Sincerely,

TOWN OF MARATHON

Louise Lees
Deputy Clerk

LL:jg

Enclosure(s)

Cc: Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada
Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario
Andrea Horwath, Official Leader of the Opposition
Erin O'Toole, Official Leader of the Opposition
Chris Lewis, MP – Essex
Taras Natyshak, MPP - Essex

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MARATHON
MARATHON, Ontario

Motion No.: 079/21

Date: April 19, 2021

Moved by: Tsubouchi

Seconded by: Vallance

THAT Council hereby supports the resolution received from the Town of Kingsville pertaining to Bill C-21, An Act to amend certain Acts and to make certain consequential amendments (firearms);

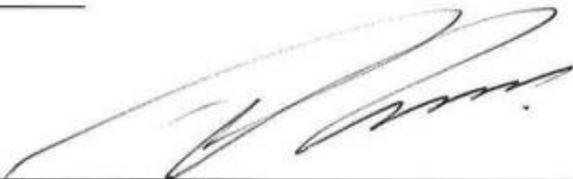
AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this motion be forwarded to the individuals listed on the original resolution request.

RECORDED VOTE:	FOR	AGAINST	CONFLICT OF INTEREST
Mayor Dumas			
Councillor Gingras			
Lake			
Tsubouchi			
Vallance			

CARRIED

DEFEATED

No. at Meeting: 5



Mayor

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SENT VIA EMAIL

March 25, 2021

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, MP
Prime Minister of Canada
Langevin Block
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0A2

Prime Minister:

RE: Bill C-21, An Act to amend certain Acts and to make certain consequential amendments (firearms)

At its Regular Meeting held on March 8, 2021 Council of the Town of Kingsville passed the following Resolution:

"205-2021

Moved By Councillor Thomas Neufeld, **Seconded By** Councillor Larry Patterson

A Resolution concerning Bill C-21, An Act to amend certain Acts and to make certain consequential amendments (firearms), specifically Amendment 26, Section (58.01 (1-8), Conditions-by-law.

WHEREAS municipalities have never been responsible for gun control laws in Canada;

AND WHEREAS law abiding Kingsville residents who own legal handguns have already been thoroughly vetted through the CFSC, PAL and ATT applications;

AND WHEREAS illegal gun owners and smugglers do not respect postal codes;

AND WHEREAS if one municipality enacts a ban and not a neighbouring municipality, this will create a patchwork of by-laws;

AND WHEREAS a municipal ban would be difficult to enforce and easy to get around.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that The Corporation of the Town of Kingsville is OPPOSED to the adoption of any by-laws restricting the possession, storage and transportation of legally obtained handguns;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be forwarded to the following public officials: MP Chris Lewis-Essex, MPP Taras Natyshak-Essex, Premier of Ontario The Honourable Doug Ford, Leader of the Official Opposition Andrea Horwath, Prime Minister of Canada The Honourable Justin Trudeau, and Leader of Official Opposition The Honourable Erin O'Toole."

If you require any further information, please contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,



Sandra Kitchen
Deputy Clerk-Council Services
Legislative Services Department
skitchen@kingsville.ca

cc: Hon. Doug Ford, Premier
cc: Hon. Andrea Horwath, Official Leader of the Opposition
cc: Hon. Erin O'Toole, Official Leader of the Opposition
cc: MP Chris Lewis- Essex
cc: MPP Taras Natyshak-Essex
cc: Hon. Bill Blair, Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness
cc: MP Shannon Stubbs
cc: Mayor Aldo DiCarlo, Town of Amherstburg
cc: Mayor Larry Snively, Town of Essex
cc: Mayor Tom Bain, Town of Lakeshore
cc: Mayor Marc Bondy, Town of LaSalle
cc: Mayor Hilda MacDonald, Municipality of Leamington
cc: Mayor Gary McNamara, Town of Tecumseh
cc: all Municipalities in Ontario

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