CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Mayor Miller

Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Pantalone

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened by the passing of Mr. Brian Cochrane on Sunday, November 15, 2009.

Mr. Cochrane was the first president of CUPE Local 416, which formed out of the amalgamation of the City of Toronto. Prior to becoming Local 416 president, Mr. Cochrane had represented outside workers in the former City of North York for 12 years.

Mr. Cochrane was a strong and dedicated leader during his 10 years as Local 416 president, and went above and beyond the call of duty. He was a highly skilled negotiator who knew the craft of collective bargaining and worked endlessly to defend his members and public services in Toronto. Mr. Cochrane built strong bonds within the union and will be missed by the many men and women who he mentored.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Mr. Brian Cochrane's family.

November 30, 2009