1. **Health**

23. We call upon all levels of government to:

- Increase the number of Aboriginal professionals working in the health care field
- Ensure the retention of Aboriginal health-care providers in Aboriginal communities
- Provide cultural competency training for all health-care professionals.

Toronto Public Health already has several programs that are Aboriginal specific and has created the Aboriginal Health round table. They are also creating cultural competency training for their staff.

Many years ago City of Toronto created Scholarships for Aboriginal Students Studying in Health Professions. This is administered by University of Toronto. The value of the award is $4500.00 dollars.

2. **Reconciliation**

**Canadian Governments and the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous People**

43. We call upon federal, provincial, territorial, and municipal governments to fully adopt and implement the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples as the framework for reconciliation.

The City adopted this declaration in their yearlong proclamation on Truth and Reconciliation. Do we need to make another more formal adoption/ Motion from council?

3. **Professional Development and Training for Public Servants**

57. We call upon federal, provincial, territorial, and municipal governments to provide education to public servants on the history of Aboriginal peoples, including the history and legacy of residential schools, the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples,
Treaties and Aboriginal rights, Indigenous law, and Aboriginal–Crown relations. This will require skills-based training in intercultural competency, conflict resolution, human rights, and anti-racism.

The City of Toronto has an Education Strategy underway. TPH is providing training for staff.

4. Museums and Archives

68. We call upon the federal government, in collaboration with Aboriginal peoples, and the Canadian Museums Association to mark the 150th anniversary of Canadian Confederation in 2017 by establishing a dedicated national funding program for commemoration projects on the theme of reconciliation.

There have already been discussions about including Aboriginal component to events being planned by the city of Toronto to celebrate 2017.

5. National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation

77. We call upon provincial, territorial, municipal, and community archives to work collaboratively with the National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation to identify and collect copies of all records relevant to the history and legacy of the residential school system, and to provide these to the National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation.

Should we be asking our archives if they have any such documentation?

6. Commemoration

82. We call upon provincial and territorial governments, in collaboration with Survivors and their organizations, and other parties to the Settlement Agreement, to commission and install a publicly accessible, highly visible, Residential Schools Monument in each capital city to honour Survivors and all the children who were lost to their families and communities.

This should be addressed by our culture division? A monument was attempted in the 90’s but was not successful
7. Sports and Reconciliation

88. We call upon all levels of government to take action to ensure long-term Aboriginal athlete development and growth, and continued support for the North American Indigenous Games, including funding to host the games and for provincial and territorial team preparation and travel.

City of Toronto was involved with the bid for the North American Indigenous Games for 2017. This bid was successful.

8. Newcomers to Canada

94. We call upon the Government of Canada to replace the Oath of Citizenship with the following:

I swear (or affirm) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, Queen of Canada, Her Heirs and Successors, and that I will faithfully observe the laws of Canada including Treaties with Indigenous Peoples, and fulfill my duties as a Canadian citizen.

Motion from Council to support this change?