

CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Mayor John Tory

Seconded by: Councillor Mark Grimes

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of former Toronto Blue Jay, Roy Halladay, on November 7, 2017.

Roy "Doc" Halladay was a beloved and respected member of the Toronto sports family. He dominated the mound for the Toronto Blue Jays from 1998 to 2009. Roy was an eight time all-star, two time recipient of the Cy Young award, and he led Major League Baseball in wins for 2003 and 2010. In June 2017, Roy was inducted into the Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame. Out of affection for the Blue Jays and his time in Toronto, he arranged to end his playing days as a Toronto Blue Jay.

In his time with the Toronto Blue Jays, Roy was a dedicated leader on and off the diamond. His support through the Jays Care Foundation lives on through the countless Canadian youth that he dedicated his time towards. Roy's leadership, hard work, and contribution to this City and the Toronto Blue Jays will live on forever in the hearts of the thousands of fans who watched him play.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to his wife Brandy and their two sons, to his friends, and to all of the fans of Roy Halladay.

November 8, 2017