



REPORT FOR ACTION

Supplementary Report on Status of Intergovernmental Requests Related to the COVID-19 Equity Action Plan

Date: December 9, 2020

To: Board of Health

From: Deputy City Manager, Community and Social Services

Wards: All

SUMMARY

To support Torontonians who have been hardest hit by COVID-19 and to stop the virus spread, the City is taking urgent action on multiple fronts, in strong collaboration with community partners. Our COVID-19 Equity Action Plan is called, "TO Supports".

Ongoing cooperation and commitment from other levels of government is required for the City to meet the needs of residents during the pandemic and implement many of the actions in "TO Supports".

This report summarizes, in Attachment 1, the status of current Council-adopted intergovernmental requests to advance Toronto's COVID-19 equity actions.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Deputy City Manager, Community and Social Services recommends that:

1. The Board of Health receive this supplementary report for information.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There are no financial impacts resulting from the adoption of the recommendation in this report.

DECISION HISTORY

On October 27, 28 and 30, 2020 City Council requested the Deputy City Manager, Community and Social Services, in consultation with the Medical Officer of Health, to build on COVID-19 resurgence plans and the findings from the data and consultation with groups that have been disproportionately affected by COVID-19 to prepare a Toronto COVID-19 Response Equity Action Plan that consolidates existing advice, strategies, and initiatives and includes for each recommendation or action the status, timeline, lead division or agency, and requests of other governments, and to report back with an update to the Board of Health in 2020.

<http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaItemHistory.do?item=2020.HL22.1>

COMMENTS

The City has actively advocated for intergovernmental cooperation and response to the impact of COVID-19 on equity-seeking groups and vulnerable populations. The status of recent related Council-adopted intergovernmental requests are summarized in Attachment 1 to this report.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1 - Status of Intergovernmental Requests and Actions related to the COVID-19 Equity Action Plan