



May 20, 2010
Etobicoke York Community Council
Dear Chair Nunziata and Members of Council

I would like to present the following motion at Community Council:

Designation of Significant Event for 7th Annual Lakeshore Mardi Gras Festival – August 13, 14 & 15th, 2010 – Ward 6, Etobicoke – Lakeshore

Summary:

The 7th Annual Lakeshore Mardi Gras Festival is a wonderful event that promotes and encourages the Etobicoke – lakeshore community and residents of Toronto to come out and meet their neighbours while participating in the many activities. The Festival is organized in co-operation with the Lakeshore Mardi Gras Committee.

The 7th Annual Lakeshore Mardi Gras Festival is seeing, on behalf of the organizers and participants, a special occasion permit under the Community Festival section of the Ontario Liquor Licence Act:

According to Section 40 of the Regulations of the Ontario Liquor Licence Act, and application for a special occasion permit for an event that is a community festival has to be approved the local Council for the Municipality in which the event is to occur.

Recommendations

That Etobicoke York Community Council deem the 7th Annual Lakeshore Mardi Gras Festival to be an event of municipal and/or Community significance, and to advise the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario that it has no objection to this event

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