

## CONDOLENCE MOTION

**Moved by: Councillor Adam Vaughan**

**Seconded by: Councillor Doug Ford**

The Members of Toronto City Council are saddened to learn of the passing of Peter Kormos, over the Easter Weekend, on March 30, 2013.

Peter Kormos, a Niagara Regional Councillor, best known as a maverick Member of the Provincial Legislature represented the Welland area for the New Democratic Party.

For many, Peter Kormos was the voice of small town Ontario, but for almost a quarter century when he spoke, more often than not, his voice was raised in Toronto - so much so that after politics, he continued to play a role in the life of Toronto as a media personality, commenting on the political life of this municipality despite not living here.

Kormos never saw a windmill he wouldn't tilt at, never met an authority figure he wouldn't challenge, and would never back down from a fight, started or joined.

More comfortable in opposition than in power, his passing marks the end of a one-of-a-kind politician and a hero of the underdogs everyone. His presence in Toronto will be missed.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Peter Kormos' family and friends.

April 4, 2013