CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor Frances Nunziata
Seconded by: Councillor Gloria Lindsay Luby

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Philip White on June 8, 2013.

Philip White, loving husband, father, and grandfather, spent almost three decades representing the people of York. He was first elected Mayor in 1969 and held the post until 1978, becoming the municipality's longest-serving Mayor. He encouraged ratepayers groups and citizens to become involved in the political process. He championed such causes as cleaning up pollution in the Humber River and preserving Cedarvale Park. Mr. White was also interested in providing public housing for seniors and others in need. Prior to his election as Mayor, Philip White served as Alderman for a decade and, following his tenure as Mayor, served as Controller from 1980 to 1988. Philip White also worked as a pharmacist for 20 years.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Philip White's family.

June 11, 2013