

## CONDOLENCE MOTION

**Moved by: Mayor Rob Ford**

**Seconded by: Councillor Doug Ford**

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Mr. Randy Blomme on June 24, 2013.

For the past five years Mr. Blomme was heavily involved in the coaching of all his sons in minor hockey. Having coached teams with the Malton Bears organization, Toronto Nationals ('Nats') organization, West Mall Lightning organization, Etobicoke Canucks organization and Mississauga North Stars organization, he was always doubling up on his coaching duties year after year.

On the weekend just prior to his passing, under Mr. Blomme's direction, the core of this West Mall Lightning team took part in the Mississauga Summer Showcase tournament as the "Ontario Kodiaks". They took home the gold medal in the final game with a 2-1 victory.

On June 24<sup>th</sup> the world lost a good man far too early and the hockey world lost a first rate coach who taught his players not only about hockey, but also about life's lessons. Mr. Blomme was an extraordinary man, a mentor of youth, a devoted family man and a tireless supporter of children and minor hockey.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to the family of Randy Blomme.

August 26, 2013