

## CONDOLENCE MOTION

**Moved by: Councillor Mark Grimes**

**Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Norm Kelly**

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Ulysses Curtis on October 6, 2013.

Ulysses "Crazy Legs" Curtis led the Toronto Argonauts to a Grey Cup victory in 1950, at the time only in his rookie season. Ulysses Curtis was the first black Argonaut and a running back that will forever be remembered as one of the best that played the game. Mr. Curtis served in the Pacific during the Second World War. After leaving the Navy in 1946, graduating from university as a two-time All-American and retiring from football in 1954, he would serve Toronto youth as a devoted football coach, Phys-Ed teacher and guidance counselor. Mr. Curtis is survived by two siblings, his wife Catherine, four children, six grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Mr. Curtis' family. He will be greatly missed.

December 16, 2013