June 16, 2015

To: Chair and Members of Etobicoke-York Community Council

Re: Etobicoke York District's Great Gardens Contest

SUMMARY:

It was just brought to the attention of members of Etobicoke York Community Council that the Etobicoke York District's Great Gardens Contest will be cancelled this year as the "Community Leaders" who assisted with this annual contest are not able to participate this year.

The Great Gardens Contest has run annually in the Etobicoke York District since 1998 and is something that homeowners and landscapers look forward to each year. It would be very unfortunate to see this long-standing tradition come to an end.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That Etobicoke York Community Council:

1. Request that the Director, Parks, Forestry & Recreation, Etobicoke York District, abandon plans to cancel the 2015 Etobicoke York District Great Gardens Contest.

2. Request that the Director, Parks, Forestry & Recreation, Etobicoke York District, work with local Councillors to identify possible "Community Leaders" to assist with the 2015 Etobicoke York District Great Gardens Contest.

Sincerely,

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Councillor, Ward 11