CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor Paula Fletcher

Seconded by: Councillor Sarah Doucette

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Lisa Shamai on January 31, 2015.

Lisa Shamai's contribution to the fabric of the east end through her well-regarded catering business, Lisa Shamai Cuisiniere, and the dedication to philanthropy and community spirit cannot be overstated. Her passion for good food and wellness was clear to anyone who had the good fortune to know Lisa.

Founded in 1989, Lisa Shamai Cuisiniere grew to become a signature business in the Carlaw-Dundas community. Lisa's motto "One cannot think well, love well, sleep well, if one has not eaten well!" will continue to inspire the best in her team as the business continues.

Lisa volunteered her time to Wellspring to teach about nutrition and wellness for cancer survivors and people living on lower incomes. Her Rainbow Team raised over $100,000 for Princess Margaret Hospital through Lisa's longtime support for the Weekend to End Women's Cancers.

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

March 31, 2015