

CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor Jaye Robinson

Seconded by: Mayor John Tory

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Alex Frirdich on April 24, 2015.

Mr. Frirdich was born in Germany on February 8, 1932. He graduated from the Institute of Technology of Reutlingen in 1956, after which he joined the company Bayer.

Mr. Frirdich worked with Bayer until his retirement in 1994. During this time, he worked as the president of Bayer Canada and the senior executive of the entire group of Bayer companies.

Mr. Frirdich was also an active member and treasurer of the St. Andrews Ratepayers' Association. In this position, Mr. Frirdich worked tirelessly on the neighbourhood's behalf, devoting countless hours to the association and representing the community at the Committee of Adjustment and the Ontario Municipal Board.

The unique character of St. Andrew's – which Mr. Frirdich worked hard to preserve – will serve as a lasting testament to his contributions.

Mr. Frirdich is survived by his wife, Lucie Frirdich, two children and two grandchildren.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Mr. Frirdich's family.

June 10, 2015