



CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor Norman Kelly

Seconded by: Councillor Shelley Carroll

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Mr. Lorne Turner on September 2, 2015.

An accountant and long-time City employee, Lorne Turner was known for his warm and caring ways, his great sense of humour and his strong work ethic in carrying out his duties as Manager of Performance Management for the City of Toronto. He was dedicated to making this City a great place to live, work and play. For more than a decade, Lorne represented the City of Toronto as the OMBI lead and was a true champion of municipal performance measurement. His work at the City was exemplary and our benchmarking initiatives are strengthened considerably through his diligence and commitment.

More recently, Lorne took on a key role as an advisor to the World Bank Global Cities Initiative, where he worked with staff to develop a set of globally relevant and accepted city indicators, which became known as the ISO 37120 standard. This standard is important for all cities and is a reflection of Lorne's perseverance, commitment and his ability to keep the City of Toronto actively engaged for many years. It was through his hard work and determination that, in November of last year, the City of Toronto received the highest (platinum) designation for its compliance to that standard.

Lorne Turner cherished his family. He was a devoted and loving husband to his wife Linda and a doting dad to his daughters Amanda and Emily, who were his pride and joy. He always spoke very glowingly of them and all of their accomplishments to his colleagues and friends.

He will be greatly missed by his family, his friends, colleagues and all those whose lives he touched with his unique quality of connecting with people on a personal level.

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

September 30, 2015