

CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Mayor John Tory

Seconded by: Councillor Chin Lee

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Theo Lawrence on Tuesday, January 19, 2016.

Theo joined the City in 1988 and has represented the Toronto Building and City Planning Divisions as the Planning Consultant for the Scarborough District. Theo held himself to a high standard of customer service and readily provided expert advice and information to our customers, staff, Councillors and other Divisions within the City of Toronto.

Theo's dedication to serving Toronto's public has forged many relationships, and as a result, Theo became much more than a colleague to many as he built genuine friendships.

On learning of Theo's sudden passing, many have reached out to express their sadness at the loss of a person who, as a member of the Toronto Public Service, exemplified the City of Toronto's commitment to excellent customer service.

To quote a friend, Theo "loved coming in every day for the people."

Theo was a kind and passionate man who will be greatly missed.

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

February 3, 2016