

Date: July 12, 2019

To: Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee:

Request for ^{Feasibility} ~~Feasibility~~ of the City of Toronto holding a Public Event in recognition of International Day for People with Disabilities on December 9, 2019

Summary:

~~Disability is our strength~~

The City of Toronto has hosted public events in recognition of Seniors' Month, Pride and an indigenous sunrise ceremony, but no public event in recognition of people with disabilities has been organized as of yet.

Recommendations:

That the Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee request that the People, Equity and Human Rights Division explore the feasibility of the City of Toronto holding a public event in recognition of International Day for People with Disabilities on December 9, 2019 and report back at the next committee meeting on September 26, 2019. This can be done by identifying some key themes/topics of interest like employment ^{and having a speaker} and those with like minded organizations such as the Centre for the Independent Living in Toronto, so that it can be also be a joint event/information fair.

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