



CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Mayor John Tory

Seconded by: Councillor Mike Colle

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Fitzroy Gordon on April 30, 2019 at the age of 65.

The loss of Fitzroy Gordon is a loss for all of Toronto.

First and foremost Fitzroy was a caring citizen who constantly showed leadership in Toronto's communities and took a keen, active interest in the advancement of newcomers to Canada and of the City of Toronto as a whole.

Broadcasting was his first love and while Fitzroy is best known as the founder and Chief Executive Officer of G98.7, he had the radio bug long before that when he came to be known as "Dr. Love" on the radio because of his love for helping people.

G98.7 became known not only as the radio voice of our Black and Caribbean community but also a radio voice that spoke powerfully to urban issues and even to sports like cricket which is growing in our diverse City.

Fitzroy Gordon was a towering figure in our City who brought people together. His was a life of great accomplishment and contribution to our City but a life cut way too short.

Fitzroy Gordon will be deeply missed by the City of Toronto.

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

May 14, 2019