CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor Jim Karygiannis

Seconded by: Councillor Cynthia Lai

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Jeanne Patricia Milovanovic on August 21, 2019.

Jeanne had a long and distinguished career in education in roles ranging from classroom teacher to Superintendent for the Scarborough Board of Education. Jeanne was the President of the Federation of Women Teachers of Ontario and the first President of the Canadian Institute for Reading Recovery - an initiative she helped to implement in Canada.

Jeanne is remembered fondly by friends and colleagues around the world for her gregarious and outgoing personality, as well as for her extraordinary contributions to the advancement of children’s early literacy and of women’s rights. Jeanne remained dedicated to helping others through charitable causes until her last days, and her absence will be felt by many.

After a period of illness, Jeanne passed away. During that time, Jeanne was surrounded by her loving family. Beloved wife to Dusan (d. 1994), and devoted mother to sons Peter (Susan), Nicholas (Carol) and David (Cinda), Jeanne was the dear grandmother of Nikki, Steven, Alicia, Heather and Andrew, and great-grandmother to Dominick.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to family and friends of Jeanne Patricia Milovanovic.

October 2, 2019