



CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by: Councillor Stephen Holyday

Seconded by: Councillor Mark Grimes

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Michael McGee on December 23, 2019.

Michael was an exemplary and compassionate City employee in the Parks, Forestry and Recreation Division and served as part of the Toronto Public Service for 28 years. Most recently, Michael worked in the Etobicoke District as Aquatic Supervisor for Wards 2 and 3 and led the delivery of Aquatic programs and services in this region. Michael was also the City-wide lead for the Swim to Survive program at the City of Toronto, a partnership program with public school boards, which promotes water safety and teaches basic water survival skills to grade-four students across the City. Michael was instrumental in the successful delivery of this program to over 15,000 students annually. Michael will be remembered fondly for his many contributions towards the betterment of his community and dedicated advocacy for aquatic and adaptive programs.

Michael is survived by his wife of 21 years, Elizabeth, sons Lucas and Matthew and siblings Maureen and Paul. Michael's thoughtful and caring personality, great sense of humor and kind soul will be deeply missed by family, friends and many of the City of Toronto staff that had the opportunity to work alongside him.

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

January 29, 2020