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Public Consultation on the City of Toronto's Codes of Conduct (May 24, 2022)

I am pleased to announce our [online survey](#) about the ethical rules members of Toronto's City Council, the members of local boards, and the members of adjudicative boards are required to follow.

The current rules were adopted by Council in 2008 and need to be updated, for example, to use plain and inclusive language. I also plan to recommend the rules be updated to include:

1. A specific rule against engaging in activity that is a real or apparent conflict of interest.
2. A strengthened discreditable conduct rule to clarify it has a broad application and that derogatory conduct and remarks are contrary to the Code of Conduct.
3. A rule describing how members of Council can publicly support and help with fundraising for registered charities and humanitarian causes.

Council has asked me to review these rules and report back to them with my recommended changes.

Before I report back, I would like to obtain your feedback to include in my report to Council. Our survey gives you the opportunity to do so.

I welcome your input. Please complete our survey by June 6, 2022. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of the Integrity Commissioner at 416-392-3826 or at integrity@toronto.ca.

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