

MOTION



North Bay, ON August 13, 2024

Subject: Homelessness Crisis

File No.

Res. 2024-

Moved by Councillor: Horsfield

Seconded by Councillor: King

Whereas on behalf of its municipal members, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) is urgently calling for Provincial and Federal leadership and action to address the growing crisis of homelessness encampments in communities across Ontario;

And Whereas on July 2nd, 2024, AMO released a new policy paper Homeless Encampments in Ontario: A Municipal Perspective detailing the state of this crisis and evidence-based actions that must be taken, a copy of which is attached to this motion;

And Whereas Municipal governments are at the front lines of the homelessness crisis without the resources or tools to support our residents and communities.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved that the Council of the City of North Bay is asking the Federal and Provincial governments to work collaboratively with each other and municipalities to address these complex issues that require comprehensive responses from all orders of government working together.

And Further that a copy of the motion be shared with Prime Minister Trudeau, Premier Ford, MP Anthony Rota, MP Sean Fraser, MPP Victor Fedeli, MPP Calandra, Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Rural Ontario Municipal Association, Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities.

Carried

Carried as amended

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Conflict_____

Endorsement of Chair_____

Yeas _____

Nays _____

Record of Vote (*Upon Request of Councillor* _____)

Signature of Clerk_____