



The Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie  
Council Correspondence

January 21, 2022

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**From:** [Madison Zuppa](#)  
**To:** [Madison Zuppa](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Public Health Champion 2021  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 19, 2022 1:02:10 PM  
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**From:** Tania Caputo <>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 18, 2022 5:00 PM  
**To:**  
**Subject:** Public Health Champion 2021

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Good Evening,

Nominations are now open for the [2021 Public Health Champion\(s\) and Young Public Health Champion](#) awards. The deadline for submission is January 28, 2022. Winners will be announced at the Board of Health virtual meeting on February 23, 2022.

This year, our Public Health Champion(s) and Young Public Health Champion award will honour Algoma residents who have stepped up to keep our communities safe and healthy throughout 2021, and demonstrated exemplary kindness, compassion, and community spirit while helping others overcome the challenges related to COVID-19.

To mark the fact that we have been living in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic for nearly two years, we encourage nominations where champions have persevered with their efforts throughout the marathon of the pandemic and sustained a positive impact on others.

Please feel free to share this opportunity with your partners to further amplify this great opportunity to recognize an organization or person who is a true public health champion.



**Tania Caputo**  
Executive Assistant,  
Office of the Medical Officer of Health &  
Secretary to the Board of Health

**From:** [City Clerk](#)  
**To:** [Madison Zuppa](#)  
**Subject:** FW: CALL FOR REGISTRATIONS!  
**Date:** Monday, January 17, 2022 1:51:42 PM

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**From:** FONOM Office/ Bureau de FONOM <fonom.info@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, January 17, 2022 1:50 PM  
**Subject:** CALL FOR REGISTRATIONS!

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## “BIG DATA – BIG IDEAS”.

### 2022 FONOM Conference

Hosted by the City of North Bay, May 9-11, 2022

Best Western, 700 Lakeshore Drive, North Bay, ON (705) 474-5800

Don't miss out! This year's in-person Conference is shaping up to be an informative event for municipal representatives on issues relevant to Northern municipalities.

This year's Keynote speaker is Doug Griffiths. Doug is the author of **13 Ways to Kill Your Community**. He will provide a lively, full of personality, conversational, breezy, concise, and fun session. One can imagine seeking out information on boosting their local community, sighing dutifully as they seek out material, and then being relieved and delighted when what they find turns out to be as entertaining as it is informative.

Also included in this year's conference are displays from a selection of exhibitors and the opportunity to network and discuss leading practices with other municipal representatives.

Need a place to stay? Book a hotel room at the [North Bay Best Western](#) by calling 705-474-5800. Use booking code: FONOM

**Registration Ends April 26 at 4:30 pm**

To register and for more information visit:

[www.northbay.ca/FONOM](http://www.northbay.ca/FONOM)

For all conference inquiries, please contact the City of North Bay  
Phone: 705-474-0400, ext. 2329

Email: [fonom@northbay.ca](mailto:fonom@northbay.ca)

Talk soon, Mac

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P.S. FONOM GoNorth Promotional Videos

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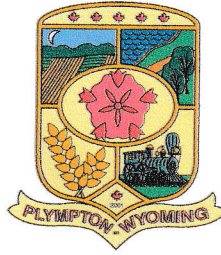
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Honourable Doug Ford  
Premier of Ontario  
Legislative Building  
Queen's Park  
Toronto ON M7A1A1 (Sent via email)

January 14, 2022

**Re: Fire Safety Measures – Request to Review the Ontario Fire Code Retrofit Section 9.5**

Please be advised that on January 12<sup>th</sup> 2022 the Town of Plympton-Wyoming Council passed the following motion to support the City of Kitchener's resolution (attached) regarding fire safety measures and a request to review the Ontario Fire Code Retrofit Section 9.5.

**Motion 19**

*Moved by Mike Vasey*

*Seconded by Gary Atkinson*

*That Council supports item 't' of correspondence from the City of Kitchener regarding fire safety measures, and directs staff to prepare a letter of support.*

**Motion Carried.**

If you have any questions regarding the above motion, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone or email at [ekwarciak@plympton-wyoming.ca](mailto:ekwarciak@plympton-wyoming.ca).

Sincerely,

Erin Kwarciak

Clerk

Town of Plympton-Wyoming

Cc: (all sent via e-mail)

Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing

Monika Turner, Association of Municipalities of Ontario

All Ontario Municipalities

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December 1, 2021

Honourable Doug Ford  
Premier of Ontario  
Legislative Building  
Queen's Park  
Toronto ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Ford:

This is to advise that City Council, at a meeting held on November 22, 2021, passed the following resolution regarding fire safety measures:

"WHEREAS the Government of Ontario, in December 1975, enacted the Ontario Building Code for the purpose of regulating the construction of new, safe buildings within the Province of Ontario; and,

WHEREAS the Government of Ontario, in November 1981 enacted the Ontario Fire Code for the purpose of maintaining the life safety systems of all buildings within the Province of Ontario; and,

WHEREAS the Government of Ontario, in November 1983 began the process of amending the Ontario Fire Code to include Retrofit provisions, for the purpose of providing a minimum level of life safety for those existing buildings which had not been built under the provisions of any version of the Ontario Building Code; and,

WHEREAS the government of Ontario, in October 1992 amended the Ontario Fire Code Retrofit provisions, for the purpose of providing a minimum level of life safety to buildings classed as low rise residential (9.5); and,

WHEREAS October 2021 marks twenty-nine (29) years since the requirements outlined by Retrofit 9.5 have been substantially updated; and,

WHEREAS this lack of currently appropriate standards for self-closing devices on suite doors and positive latching on exit stairwell doors has led to significant serious injuries, deaths, long term dislodgement of residents, and significant unnecessary insurance loss due to allowed building deficiencies;

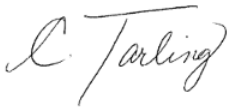
THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED that the City of Kitchener urges the government of Ontario to direct the Ontario Fire Marshal's Office – Technical Services, to undertake an immediate review of that portion of the Ontario Fire Code known as Retrofit Section 9.5;

THEREFORE IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED that the City of Kitchener urges the Government of Ontario to, as expeditiously as possible, amend the Ontario Fire Code Sentence 9.5.2.8.(1) to require self closing devices on all suite closures (doors) within low rise residential buildings: and,

THEREFORE IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED that the City of Kitchener urges the Government of Ontario to, as expeditiously as possible, amend the Ontario Fire Code Sentence 9.5.3.3.(3) to require that closures (doors) entering exit stairwells be equipped with both self-closing devices and positive latching; and,

THEREFORE IT FINALLY BE RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario; and, all other Ontario municipalities."

Yours truly,



C. Tarling  
Director of Legislated Services  
& City Clerk

c: Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing  
Monika Turner, Association of Municipalities of Ontario  
Ontario Municipalities