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Tuesday, May 18, 2021

Northwestern Ontario Municipal Association Andrea Strawson, Executive Director P.O. Box 10308 Thunder Bay, ON P7B 6T8

Dear Andrea Strawson:

Re: Advocacy - Regional Approach to Reopening

Please be advised that the following resolution was adopted by Committee of the Whole at its meeting held on May 17, 2021 and subsequently ratified by City Council on May 17, 2021.

"WITH RESPECT to the memorandum from Councillor K. Oliver dated May 13, 2021, we recommend that City Council support a return to the previously approved colour coded framework and that a regional approach to re-opening Ontario be considered by the province;

AND THAT the Intergovernmental Affairs Committee be tasked with advocacy for this position;

AND THAT a copy of this resolution be sent to Premier Doug Ford, Minister of Health Christine Elliot, NOMA and the Members of Provincial Parliament for Thunder Bay – Michael Gravelle (Thunder Bay – Superior North) and Judith Monteith-Farrell (Thunder Bay - Rainy River);

AND THAT any necessary by-laws be presented to City Council for ratification." Should you have any further questions relative to the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,

Krista Power City Clerk

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Cc: Hon. Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario

Hon. Christine Elliott, Minister of Health – Ontario Michael Gravelle, MPP Thunder Bay—Superior North Judith Monteith-Farrell, MPP Thunder Bay—Atikokan

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