

MEMBER MOTION

Section 5.4.4(b) of Procedure By-law

Meeting: Council X

Meeting Date: October 13, 2021

Subject/Title: Outdoor SaveStation and Automated External Defibrillator

Installation at Lake Wilcox Park

Submitted by: Regional and Local Councillor Perrelli

Whereas automated external defibrillators (AED) are portable, life-saving devices designed to treat people experiencing sudden cardiac arrest; and

Whereas the Central York Girls Hockey Association (CYGHA), through their "She Shoots...She Saves" campaign, raised money to place lifesaving AEDs and outdoor SaveStations in their communities; and

Whereas the campaign's inspiration came from a fellow CYGHA Panther, Raychel Gilles, who performed CPR and used an AED on her friend's father at a hockey game and saved his life; and

Whereas CYGHA has already donated outdoor SaveStations and AEDs to Newmarket, Aurora and Bradford West Gwillimbury; and

Whereas through Councillor Perrelli's support of the CYGHA, they have decided to place an outdoor SaveStation and AED at Lake Wilcox Park; and

Whereas staff have already met and consulted with Action First Aid to install Richmond Hill's first outdoor SaveStation and AED, as well as, consulted on electrical work and maintenance of AEDs; and

Whereas staff have advised that because we currently do not have any AED units in our parks, this request would be considered a new level of service and must be brought forward to Council;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved:

That the Council of the City of Richmond Hill approve and authorize staff to take all steps necessary to install the outdoor SaveStation and AED

Moved by: Regional and Local Councillor Perrelli

Seconded by: