



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LARDER LAKE
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October 19, 2021

To: Premier Doug Ford – doug.fordco@pc.ola.org
MPP John Vanthof - jvanthof-co@ndp.on.ca
Ontario Minister of Health Christine Elliott – christine.elliott@pc.ola.org
Ontario Association of Optometrists – oaoinfo@optom.on.ca

Re: OHIP Eye Care Resolution R2021-425

Please be advised that on September 28, 2021, the Township of Larder Lake Council passed a motion to support the Municipality of Trent Lakes regarding a request to the provincial government to recognize the value that access to quality eye care brings to all Ontarians and to act now to protect it and that the provincial government address the OHIP-insured eye care immediately and to enter into legally-binding negotiations with Ontario Optometrists to fund these services.

Motion 4

Moved by Councillor Paul Kelly, Seconded by Councillor Tom Armstrong.

THAT, Council hereby supports item 6.1 of letters and communications from the Municipality of Trent Lakes regarding a request to the provincial government to recognize the value that access to quality eye care brings to all Ontarians and to act now to protect it; And

FURTHER, that the provincial government address the OHIP-insured eye care immediately and enter into legally-binding negotiations with Ontario Optometrists to fund these services at least to the cost of delivery, prior to any job action taking place; And

FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Premier Doug Ford, Ontario Minister of Health Christine Elliot, MPP John Vanthof, the Ontario Association of Optometrists, and to all municipalities in Ontario.

If you have any questions regarding the above motion, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone or email crystallabbe@larderlake.ca

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Crystal Labbe', is written over a large, stylized 'L' that is part of the township's logo.

Crystal Labbe, CAO
cc: Ontario Municipalities

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MOVED BY:

☐ Thomas Armstrong
☐ Patricia Hull
☒ Paul Kelly
☐ Lynne Paquette

SECONDED BY:

☒ Thomas Armstrong
☐ Patricia Hull
☐ Paul Kelly
☐ Lynne Paquette

Motion #: 4

Resolution #:

Date: September 28, 2021

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Recorded vote requested: ☐

	For	Against
Tom Armstrong	✓	
Patricia Hull	✓	
Paul Kelly	✓	
Lynne Paquette	✓	
Patty Quinn	✓	

I declare this motion

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carried
<input type="checkbox"/> Lost / Defeated
<input type="checkbox"/> Deferred to: _____ (enter date)
Because:
<input type="checkbox"/> Referred to: _____ (enter body)
Expected response: _____ (enter date)

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest*

Chair:

*Disclosed his/her (their) interest(s), abstained from discussion and did not vote on this question.