Form: Request to Speak to Committee of Council Submitted on Tuesday, May 9, 2017 - 9:34am

==Committee Requested==

Committee: Emergency & Community Services Committee

==Requestor Information==

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Reason(s) for delegation request: To share plans for a new purpose-designed \$10 million Community Respite Centre. The new centre will provide day and overnight respite services for children and adults with development disability and their families, and replace existing sites at 274 Charlton Ave. (for children) and 669 Templemead Dr. (for adults). The facility addresses urgently needed respite services in Hamilton, and offer 2,190 more bednights and 3,200 more day-service hours for children and adults, as well as more short-notice and emergency care. The project aligns well with the Community Hub model that co-locates services for people with a range of needs, such as developmental disability, physical disability and mental health illness, as well as services for the Early Years system.

Will you be requesting funds from the City? Yes

Will you be submitting a formal presentation? Yes