

CITY OF HAMILTON

NOTICE OF MOTION

General Issues Committee: May 16, 2018

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR CONLEY.....

Repair and Resurfacing of the Tennis Courts at the Stoney Creek Tennis Club

WHEREAS, the Stoney Creek Tennis Club (the “Club”) originated in 1964 and is located in Optimist Park over the bridge just down from the Little League Ball Park, and is a vital part of the Stoney Creek community that provides services that are available for all Hamilton residents;

WHEREAS, the wheelchair accessible Club services nearly 600 people including seniors, children and adults as well as local schools and the McMaster University tennis team;

WHEREAS, the Club has an excellent Junior academy, with over 110 registered juniors, an excellent summer day camp program and, has many programs for its adult members, including Men’s and Ladies’ Leagues, multiple Round Robins, a Singles Ladder, and SCTC Cardio;

WHEREAS, the Club contains 7 lit courts that are between 14 and 20 years old that have deteriorated and are in need of repair and resurfacing to be playable; and, at this point, can be repaired and resurfaced at a cost of \$10,000 for each court;

WHEREAS, failure to repair the courts in the near future would result in further deterioration, resulting in a need to completely replace the courts at a cost of \$25,000 each; and,

WHEREAS, the Club is requesting funding in the amount of \$70,000 to repair and resurface the courts to continue to serve its members and the community;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That \$70,000 for the Stoney Creek Tennis Club to repair and resurface its 7 tennis courts, to be funded from the Terrapure Reserve account (#117036), be approved.