

CITY OF HAMILTON

MOTION

Council: May 22, 2024

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR M. FRANCIS.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR.....

Stoney Creek Garden Club and Horticultural Society (Ward 5)

WHEREAS, the Stoney Creek Garden Club and Horticultural Society is a community group that helps the residents of Stoney Creek get involved in a green initiatives and creates opportunities that promote health and wellbeing;

WHEREAS, the Stoney Creek Garden Club and Horticultural Society wants to create a community garden in order to promote pollinator;

WHEREAS, the City of Hamilton has achieved Bee City status and is committed to upkeep the Bee City Vision through the protection and support of pollinators and habitat creation; and

WHEREAS, the planting of perennials and native plants contributes to biodiversity across the City.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That a grant for supplies to install a community garden to the Stoney Creek Garden Club and Horticultural Society to be constructed at Green Acres Park be funded from the Ward 5 Capital Discretionary Account (3302109500) at an upset limit, including contingency, not to exceed \$4,000;
- (b) That any funds allocated and distributed be exempt and not be counted toward any formula that restricts regular funding from the City including the City Enrichment Fund for the years 2024 and 2025; and
- (c) That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute any required agreement(s) and ancillary documents, with such terms and conditions in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.