CITY OF HAMILTON M O T I O N

Council Date: January 13, 2014

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR S. MERULLA
SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR

3.1 Ontario Disaster and Relief Assistance Program (ODRAP) – December 22, 2013 Ice Storm

Whereas the City of Hamilton recently experienced an ice storm disaster event on December 22, 2013 which lasted a number of days, in which areas of the City experienced significant property and infrastructure damage due to heavy volumes of ice and freezing rain.

Therefore, be it resolved:

- (a) That the Council of the City of Hamilton hereby requests the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing to declare all areas in the City of Hamilton that were affected by such disaster as the "disaster area" for the purposes of the Ontario Disaster Relief Assistance Program (ODRAP); and,
- (b) That, should the Minister declare a disaster, Council will immediately, as required by ODRAP, appoint members to a disaster relief committee to administer the claims made under ODRAP; and
- (c) That copies of this motion be circulated to all area MPP's and MP's.