



THE CORPORATION
OF
THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS

Moved by: _____ Date: September 30, 2019
Mayor R. Bonnette

Seconded by: _____ Resolution No.: _____

Item No. 15.1

WHEREAS the Town of Wasaga Beach at their August 27, 2019 Council Meeting at the request of the Township of McKellar, adopted a resolution Regarding Municipal Amalgamations (Attached as Appendix A) demanding that the Provincial Government hold a referendum letting the citizens decide whether to amalgamate or not and conduct an evidenced- based study to show that amalgamation actually saves costs, jobs, lowers taxes and reduces the provincial deficit;

AND WHEREAS the Council for the Town of Halton Hills agrees with the resolution passed by the Town of Wasaga Beach.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council for the Town of Halton Hills supports and endorses the Town of Wasaga Beach Resolution (Attached as Appendix A) demanding that the Provincial Government hold a referendum letting the citizens decide whether to amalgamate or not and conduct an evidenced-based study to show that amalgamation actually saves costs, jobs and stimulates and enhances economic development;

ANDFURTHER THAT a copy of this Resolution be sent to Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario; Christine Elliott, Deputy Premier; Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing; Andrea Horwath, Leader of the New Democratic Party; the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM), Rural Ontario Municipalities Association (ROMA), Halton Region, Town of Milton, Town of Oakville, City of Burlington, Town of Wasaga Beach and the Township of McKellar.

Mayor Rick Bonnette