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**London**  
CANADA

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Dear Colleagues,

Earlier this month Premier Ford made a public commitment to move “full steam ahead” on building new, publicly funded addiction rehabilitation centres. We want London to be at the front of the line for these types of services as we believe this represents an opportunity to enhance our efforts in helping those struggling with addiction.

Therefore, we are asking for your support for the following motion:

That the following clause be added:

e) That the Mayor & Government Relations staff be directed to undertake advocacy to work with the Government of Ontario to secure a provincial addictions rehabilitation site(s) for London.

Sincerely,

Shawn Lewis  
Deputy Mayor

Susan Stevenson  
Councillor, Ward 4

Josh Morgan  
Mayor