

Proclamation Request Form

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<u>Name of Organization</u> London & Middlesex Local Immigration Partnership
<u>Proclamation Name</u> U.N Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (https://www.un.org/en/observances/end-racism-day)
<u>Date of Proclamation Requested</u> Thursday, March 21, 2024
<u>Proclamation Type</u> (day, week or month) Day
Organization's Direct Connection to London (provide specific details) LMLIP is a collaborative community initiative, funded by Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada, and supported by the Government of Ontario and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario. It is co-led by the City of London and a community member. Each year the LMLIP hosts an All Are Welcome event to mark the U.N Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination. The event is open to all and features a theme which relates community priorities.
<u>Required Supporting Documents:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Detail information on the Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Detail information on the Event <input type="checkbox"/> Confirmation of authorization from the Organization to submit request
<u>Category</u> (public awareness campaigns, charitable funding campaigns, arts and cultural celebrations) International Day of Significance
<u>Requester Name</u> Dr. Victoria Esses
<u>Requester Address</u> The Skill Centre, 141 Dundas St, 3rd floor London, Ontario N6A 1G3
<u>Requester Phone Number and Email</u>
The undersigned confirms that I am the Official Representative of the Organization requesting the Proclamation and that by signing this Application, I acknowledge and agree that my organization complies with all City of London's Policies and By-laws. Victoria Esses <small>Digitally signed by Victoria Esses Date: 2024.02.08 17:07:26 -05'00'</small> Signature _____ Date <u>Feb 8, 2024</u>
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February 7, 2024

Chair and Members, Corporate Services Committee,
City of London, Ontario

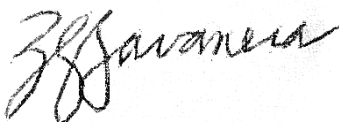
Dear Chair and Members,

As Community Co-chair of the London & Middlesex Local Immigration Partnership (LMLIP), I am pleased to submit the attached proclamation request of Dr. Victoria Esses, Chair of the Welcoming Communities Work Group of the LMLIP. This proclamation request is for the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, March 21, 2024.

The London & Middlesex Local Immigration Partnership (LMLIP) is a community collaborative initiative funded by Refugees, Immigration and Citizenship Canada since 2009, to facilitate the successful integration of immigrants in our region. LMLIP is co-led by the City of London and driven by more than 100 volunteers from different sectors including immigrants with lived experience.

Please see the attached background on the work that has been done by the LMLIP and its partners since 2017, in commemoration of the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, to make our City and region a more welcoming community.

Thank you for considering this request.



Zenaida Ravanera
Community Co-chair

Cc: Jill Tansley, LMLIP Co-Chair, City of London

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