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Chair and Members
Corporate Services Committee

Re: Association of Municipalities of Ontario – Long-Term Care and Age-Friendly Communities Task Force

I have recently been advised that the Association of Municipalities of Ontario's Executive Committee has accepted my application to join its Long-Term Care and Age-Friendly Communities Task Force, with the first meeting to be held December 8th, 2015. This Task Force is being established for the express purpose of informing AMO's advocacy strategy and positions on the direction of long term care and services for seniors in Ontario. The Task Force will advance age-friendly policy positions that focus on coordinated and integrated strategic approaches on key issues with priority on the creation of and sustaining vibrant, healthy, socially cohesive, and inclusive communities.

I respectfully request that **I BE REIMBURSED** for my expenses associated with attending the 2015/16 meetings of this Task Force outside my annual expense allocation, subject to the annual budget approval process, and in accordance with Council's Travel and Business Expense Policy 28(1).

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

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