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Cc: Sahar Zimmo
Subject: process of setting proclamations Heritage Months

Greetings Councillor Arielle Kayabaga

I wish to present this letter to you and to city council for the support to establish the process of settings proclamations of heritage months. see attached letter

Best regards,

Ali Jomaa
London Muslim Mosque Chair



November 18th 2019,

**London Ontario City Council,
300 Dufferin Avenue,
London Ontario**

We are writing in support of city councillor Arielle Kayabaga's motion to reintroduce the process in city hall to introduce a process of setting proclamations in the City of London. This motion will put in place a process that will allow us to fully celebrate the great diversity that London has to offer. This includes important heritage months like February as Black History Month and October as Islamic Heritage Month, along with so many others that have been recognized Provincially and Federally. It will also give London the opportunity recognizes important historical dates of remembrance and embed them in our collective memory. It is our hope that the instigation of proclamations in London will go a long way to making people from diverse communities feel seen and acknowledged in London.

Best regards,

Ali Jomaa

London Muslim Mosque Chair