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Councillor Arielle Kayabaga
London City Hall
300 Dufferin Avenue
London, Ontario

Endorsing Motion to proclaim Black History Month

The London Black History Coordinating Committee is delighted that London City Council will vote on a motion to proclaim February as Black History Month effective 2020.

This is a long overdue acknowledgement for many Londoners of black origin. Proclaiming BHM will demonstrate the deep appreciation of the connection, history and contributions of the Black Community to London.

The proclamation will also allow every Londoner to gain a greater understanding of London's heritage.

We hope the City will favourably consider this motion. History will look upon this motion as a momentous occasion for a progressive city that embraces its diverse histories and

Sincerely,

Carl Cadogan, Chair

London Black History Coordinating Committee