

June 9, 2021

The Mayor and Members of Council:

Re: Emergent Motion – Hyde Park Road Terrorist Attack

The undersigned are seeking support of the following Emergent Motion with respect to the June 6, 2021 Hyde Park Road Terrorist Attack.

Leave

That pursuant to section 20.2 of the Council Procedure By-law leave BE GIVEN to introduce the following emergent motion from Councillor Mo Salih and Councillor Arielle Kayabaga with respect to the June 6, 2021 Hyde Park Road Terrorist Attack.

Emergent Motion

In response to the June 6, 2021 Hyde Park Road Terrorist Attack, the undersigned are seeking support of the following motion condemning the actions that occurred:

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London unequivocally denounces the June 6, 2021 Islamophobic Attack at Hyde Park Road and South Carriage Road;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council denounces, in the strongest terms, Islamophobia and commits to end Islamophobia and hate; and,

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council acknowledges that Islamophobia exists in London;

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED THAT the following actions be taken in response to the June 6, 2021 Hyde Park Road Islamophobic Attack:

- a) the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to work with the local Muslim community, the Community Diversity and Inclusion Strategy, and stakeholders to help end Islamophobia and report back on the outcomes of that work, including the identification of a source of funding, if applicable, to properly fund initiatives to assist with the implementation of these initiatives;
- b) the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to seek input from the Muslim community to determine appropriate means by which The Corporation of the City of London can remember and honour the victims; and,
- c) the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to work with the local Muslim community and report back on how The Corporation of the City of London can highlight and honour the contributions of the London Muslim community.

Respectfully submitted,



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Councillor, Ward 3



Arielle Kayabaga
Councillor, Ward 13