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Regional Municipality of Peel
 Office of the Regional Chair

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Emil Kolb
 Regional Chair and CEO
 Regional Municipality of Peel
 10 Peel Centre Drive
 Brampton, ON L6T 4B9

Dear Mr. Kolb:

Re: Bystander Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

At its meeting of November 16, 2011, City Council considered your resolution dated October 27, 2011 regarding the above matter.

Please be advised that Council has received and endorsed this correspondence.

Yours truly,

Mary Gallagher,
 Manager of Legislative Services/Deputy Clerk

MG:sr

File C11-027

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Office of the Chair

October 27, 2011

Resolution No. 2011-953

The Honourable Dwight Duncan
Minister of Finance
7th Floor, Frost Building South
7 Queen's Park Crescent
Toronto, Ontario M7A 1Y7

Dear Minister Duncan:

Subject: Bystander Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

I am writing to advise that Peel Regional Council approved the following resolution at its meeting held on September 22, 2011:

"Whereas, the Region of Peel has demonstrated its commitment to working with and supporting community partners to respond to the health needs of Peel residents;

And whereas, the Region of Peel has been asked to support "Physicians and Paramedic Urging Lifesaving Education" in their efforts to make Ontario a leader in bystander cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR);

Therefore be it resolved, that the Regional Chair write to the Minister of Education, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, and to the Minister of Finance on behalf of Regional Council, to request that their ministries adopt the measures proposed by "Physicians and Paramedics Urging Lifesaving Education" to increase bystander CPR;

And further, that a copy of the report of the Commissioner of Health Services dated August 10, 2011, titled "Bystander Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation" and its corresponding resolution be sent to designated delivery agents for land ambulance in Ontario and to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario for their information and support".

On behalf of Regional Council, I request that you give consideration to the above resolution. I look forward to your reply. Please quote the Region of Peel's reference number in your reply.

Sincerely,

Emil Kolb
Regional Chair and Chief Executive Officer

EK:tr

c: Janette Smith, Commissioner of Health
Peter Dundas, Chief and Director, Peel Paramedic Services

Also sent to:

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