RESOLUTION C114-2012
passed by the Council of The Corporation of the City of Brampton
at its meeting on June 6, 2012

Moved by Regional Councillor Palleschi
Seconded by Regional Councillor Moore

WHEREAS research has demonstrated that community design influences key risk factors for chronic disease;

AND WHEREAS the Canadian Institute of Planners and the Ontario Professional Planners Institute have working committees on health and the built environment issues including healthy development guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the City of Brampton, Town of Caledon, City of Mississauga and the Region of Peel have developed a Healthy Development Index and the framework for a Health Background Study to promote healthy community design;

AND WHEREAS the City of Brampton is committed to have the best development policies with regard to the environment and to health;

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED that the City of Brampton use the Healthy Development Index as a framework as well as the Health Background Study Framework and consult at the discretion of city staff with Peel Public Health for:

- future transportation studies
- urban design guideline studies
- community improvement plans
- block plans
- future community planning studies.

AND FURTHER that the City of Brampton Planning, Design & Development and Works &Transportation Departments and Peel Public Health staff jointly investigate options for partnership with Canadian Institute of Planners and Ontario Professional Planners Institute and other relevant organizations to further develop ways of implementing health criteria into the planning process;

AND FURTHER that the City of Brampton and Peel Public Health advocate to relevant Provincial Ministries for better integration of land use and transportation planning at the provincial and municipal level.