

To: Members of Council Re: BIAC support of Pride Month

Council Meeting of May 18, 2021

Burlington Inclusivity Advisory Committee affirms its support for the raising of Rainbow Flags at any and all Canadian governmental, municipal and educational institutions in celebration of Pride Month and particularly in support of LGBTQ2S+ youth as they navigate that emotional transition from youth to adulthood and the complex awakenings and apprehensions that can entail.

We urge City of Burlington Council, Staff and Citizens to continue to embrace and promote this celebration and the understanding of it throughout the city, region and our community by supportive acts such as Recognition of June as Pride Month, the raising of the Pride Flag at city hall, continuing support for Burlington's Rainbow Crosswalk and the expansion of that crosswalk initiative across our city.

Yours truly,

Burlington Inclusivity Advisory Committee