



## The Corporation of the Township of Terrace Bay

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October 17, 2023

Premier Doug Ford  
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Dear Mr. Ford,

At the Township of Terrace Bay Regular Council Meeting held on Monday March 6, 2023, the following resolution of support was passed.

**RE: Township of Aurora Motion 10.4 Councillor Weese, Re: Aurora Council Opposition to Strong Mayor Powers in Aurora"**

**Resolution: 257-2023**

**Moved by: Councillor Johnson**

**Seconded by: Councillor St. Louis**

**Whereas** the Township of Aurora passed "Motion 10.4 - Councillor Weese; Re: Aurora Council Opposition to Strong Mayor Powers in Aurora at its meeting on September 26, 2023; and

**Whereas** these Strong Mayor Powers undermine democratic processes executed through municipal elections; and

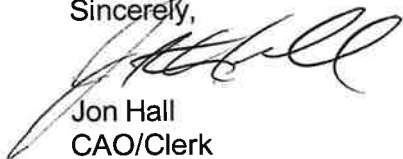
**Whereas** Strong Mayor Powers may also violate by-laws established by municipalities that provides accepted and legal procedures for governance; and

**Whereas** Terrace Bay Council recognizes the important role each Councillor provides the residents in their Ward and the community-at-large;

**Now Therefore Be it Hereby Resolved** That the Township of Terrace Bay Council supports the Town of Aurora's motion 10.4 and opposes Strong Mayor Powers being provided to the Head of Council;

**Be It Further Resolved** That this approved Motion is to be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Doug Ford; the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Honourable Paul Calandra; Lise Vaugeois MPP, Thunder Bay—Superior North and each of the Municipalities in Ontario.

Sincerely,



Jon Hall  
CAO/Clerk

**CC:**

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