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Sent via email: <u>Justin.trudeau@parl.gc.ca</u>

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau Prime Minister House of Commons Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Honourable and Dear Sir:

Re: City of Thorold Resolution - Support of Increased Fines for Firearms Infractions

Please be advised the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie at its meeting of February 28, 2022 received and supported correspondence from the City of Thorold dated February 17, 2022 requesting the Provincial and Federal Governments to consider imposing stiffer penalties for infractions, sentencing and consequences related to firearms.

Attached please find a copy of the City of Thorold correspondence dated February 17, 2022.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

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February 17, 2022

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau Prime Minister of Canada 80 Wellington St. Ottawa, ON K1A 0A2

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Dear Prime Minister:

Re: Support for Increased Fines for Firearms Infractions

Please be advised Thorold City Council, at its February 15, 2022 meeting, adopted the following resolution:

THAT Council request that the province and federal government consider imposing stiffer penalties for infractions, sentencing and consequences relating to the importation, production or distribution of firearms; and

THAT this motion be forwarded to the provincial and federal governments, AMO, and FCM; and

THAT staff forward this motion to Niagara Area municipalities for their consideration and support.

Yours truly,

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