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Town of Aurora Motion Notice given October 20, 2020

Re: Great Canadian Achievements Mural

To: Mayor and Members of Council

From: Councillor Harold Kim

Date: October 27, 2020

Whereas the Great Canadian Achievements mural was unveiled in November 23, 2001, and it highlights 30 great moments in Canadian history; and

Whereas the mural includes Armand Bombardier - inventor of the snowmobile; Rick Hansen - 40,000 Km Wheel in Motion Tour; The Canadarm - first robotic space tool; the Prairies and Niagara Falls representing our topography; and the Donut - the highest consumed food per capita in the world; and

Whereas there are many moments and Canadian persons deserving to be on the mural; and

Whereas there is a lack of diversity on the mural despite the fact that there were/are many Canadians of racialized background who made significant contributions to the building of Canada;

1. Now Therefore Be It Hereby Resolved That staff investigate locations in Aurora for a second wall to celebrate the diversity in "Great Canadian Achievements" and report back to Council.