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Alexander Harras M.P.A. Director of Legislative Services & Regional Clerk September 25, 2024

Mary Medeiros Clerk City of Oshawa 50 Centre Street South Oshawa, ON, L1H 3Z7

Dear Mary Medeiros:

RE: Requesting An Expansion of Durham Regional Police Service Resources for Anti-Hate Crime Unit, Our File: C00

Council of the Region of Durham, at its meeting held on September 25, 2024, passed the following resolution:

"Whereas hate crimes are on the rise in the Greater Toronto Area (GTA);

And whereas a significant proportion of hate crimes are targeting Jewish people through the GTA;

And whereas we have seen targeted Anti-Semitic hate in Whitby;

Now therefore be it resolved that Durham Regional Council urges the Durham Regional Police Service to expand resources for the Anti-Hate Crimes unit:

That the Police Services Board consider an additional resource request for the 2025 budget; and

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the local area municipalities."

Alexander Harras

Alexander Harras,
Director of Legislative Services & Regional Clerk
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