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DELIVERED VIA EMAIL

March 31st 2023

## Re: Declaring Intimate Partner Violence and Violence Against Women an Epidemic

Dear Ms. Blair,

Please be advised that at the Regular Council Meeting on March 29<sup>th</sup> 2023, the Town of Plympton-Wyoming Council passed the following motion, supporting the resolution from the Council of the Town of Carleton Place regarding Declaring Intimate Partner Violence and Violence Against Women an Epidemic.

## **Motion 15**

Moved by Councillor Kristen Rodrigues Seconded by Councillor Mike Vasey

That Council support item 'J' of correspondence from the Town of Carleton Place regarding Declaring Intimate Partner Violence and Violence Against Women and Epidemic.

Carried.

If you have any questions regarding the above motion, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone or email at <a href="mailto:dgiles@plympton-wyoming.ca">dgiles@plympton-wyoming.ca</a>.

Sincerely,

Denny Giles Deputy Clerk

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Town of Plympton-Wyoming

cc: Association of Municipalities of Ontario All Ontario Municipalities



Please be advised that at their meeting of March 7, 2023, the Council of the Town of Carleton Place passed the following motion:

## **Lanark County Interval House and Community Support**

Motion No. 04-134-04

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Tennant Seconded by: Councillor Comley

THAT the Town of Carleton Place recognizes the issues of violence in rural communities as serious to the health and wellness of local families; and

THAT the Town of Carleton Place recognizes the rural Renfrew County inquest as important to all rural communities; and

THAT based on the statistics of 4815 crisis calls and service provision to 527 women and children in our local community, the Council of the Town of Carleton Place declares IPV (intimate partner violence)/VAW (violence against women) an epidemic as per recommendation #1 of the Renfrew County jury recommendations; and

THAT this resolution be circulated to all municipalities in Ontario and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario.

## **CARRIED**

Kind Regards, Stacey Blair, B.A., Dipl. M.A. Clerk, Town of Carleton Place

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