

## CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

Date: February 22, 2011

Agenda Item

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Mayor Debbie Amaroso and members of City Council Civic Centre

**RE: CITY OF SAULT STE MARIE** 

CELEBRATE 100! \*1912 – 2012\*

## **BACKGROUND**

On December 7, 2009 City Council authorized undertaking a Sault Ste. Marie  $100^{th}$  anniversary celebration of events to be called "Celebrate 100! and project funding in the amount of \$65,000 per year over three years (2010, 2011 and 2012). At its April 28, 2010 budget meeting, Council reduced the 2010 budget by \$15,000.

A Celebrate 100! office is located within the Clerk's department to undertake the administration, coordination and communication of the project. The City Clerk is the lead staff for the project with Councillor Susan Myers as Chair, management and administration of the project. Councillor Terry Sheehan is Chair, liaison with Economic Development Corporation and Tourism Sault Ste. Marie who have taken the lead on the external marketing of Celebrate 100! The organizational chart for the Celebrate 100! Team is attached for your information.

## **GOING FORWARD**

The Celebrate 100! Team is working with various community partners to plan Celebrate 100! themed events. In addition to the City's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary, there are many other important community anniversary dates including the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the International Bridge and the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the War of 1812. We will be working with organizers of these special anniversaries to coordinate and showcase their celebration events and encourage any other community organizations to contact the Celebrate 100! Office if 2012 marks a milestone in their history.

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An invitation has been extended by Mayor Amaroso to the Right Honourable David Johnston, Governor General of Canada to visit our City during 2012.

The Team continues to plan for an exciting year with a calendar of events that will include City hosted events as well as community hosted events throughout 2012. We would like to encourage all boards and committees of Council to become involved by planning an event during 2012, our year of community celebration and civic pride.

The lineup of events for early 2012 will be announced later this year.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That City Council continue to support Celebrate 100! by receiving this report as information; approve the Celebrate 100! Team organizational structure; and encourage all sectors of the community to become involved in the community celebration and plan an event that will showcase our City's 100 years of history.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Susan Myers
Chair Management and Administration
Celebrate 100! Team

Attachment

Councillor Terry Sheehan Chair SSMEDC Liaison Celebrate 100! Team

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