

Social Service Response to COVID-19 Global Pandemic

On April 30, 2020 Regional Council made the following decision:

1. Council authorize the Commissioner, Community and Health Services and the Regional Chairman to adjust, re-allocate, cancel or provide new Community Investment Fund funding for projects and initiatives in 2020 to maximize funding for priority social service initiatives that respond to COVID-19 needs.
2. Council authorize the Commissioner, Community and Health Services and the Regional Chairman to direct any new federal, provincial or other external funding York Region receives for social services towards eligible priority projects and initiatives that respond to COVID-19 needs.
3. The Commissioner of Community and Health Services report back on the progress of social service initiatives the Region undertakes and funds in support of the COVID-19 global pandemic.
4. The Regional Clerk circulate this report to the local municipalities, the United Way Greater Toronto and local Members of Parliament and Members of Provincial Parliament.