

Forecast for Long-Term Care and Seniors' Housing Implications

On November 19, 2020 Regional Council made the following decision:

1. The Chairman send a letter and this report to the Ministers of Health and Long-Term Care, York Region Members of Parliament and York Region Members of Provincial Parliament to:
 - a) Seek commitment from senior levels of government to continue collaborative efforts and funding to provide more long-term care beds in York Region, reflecting the forecasted and unmet need for long-term care beds as detailed in this report.
 - b) Advocate and support the need for more affordable senior-friendly housing options and improve access to health and social services to support seniors to live safely in their own homes for longer.
2. The Regional Clerk forward this report to the local municipalities, Local Health Integration Network, Ontario Health Teams in York Region, Advantage Ontario, Ontario Long-Term Care Association, Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Human Services Planning Board of York Region and York Region Community Partnership Council.