

R E P O R T
Regular Council Meeting
1980 September 08

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF BURNABY

TO: MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

RE: Proposal For "BURNABY TERRY FOX CANCER RESEARCH FUND"

Cancer is a dread disease that has touched at one time or another our own families or friends.

Terry Fox is a courageous young man who, having been struck with cancer himself, set forth on a cross-Canada Marathon of Hope to raise funds for cancer research. In doing so, he has captured the attention and gathered the support of our whole country to his cause.

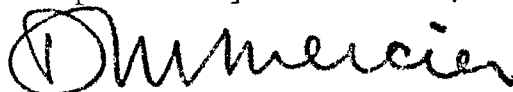
While secondary cancer has interrupted his Marathon of Hope it is suggested to Council we can further the cause to which Terry Fox dedicated himself.

In recognition of this exceptional and valiant man and in co-operation with the Area Co-ordinator for the Canadian Cancer Society, it is recommended that:

- Our Council sponsor the "Burnaby Terry Fox Cancer Research Fund" with the address c/o the Burnaby Municipal Hall;
- A trust bank account be opened in that name to receive donations;
- The Mayor, together with a Member of Council or the Municipal Treasurer be the authorized signatories for the trust bank account;
- The proceeds of the trust account to be paid to the Canadian Cancer Society specifically for research in the name of Terry Fox;
- A reasonable amount, at the discretion of the Mayor, be used to notify the public of this campaign, said amount to be from the Municipal budget.

This will be in recognition of the effort of Terry Fox. We will have a special Terry Fox day and I seek your guidance for such further means of recognition as you may wish.

Respectfully submitted,



David M. Mercier,
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