

# Attachment 1



## **Resolution for**

The City of Guelph  
Ontario

for approval by  
City Council

Present this document to City/Band Council for approval and sign-off by Mayor, Chief or appropriate official. Send signed document, along with completed Bee City Canada Application form, to [applications@beecitycanada.org](mailto:applications@beecitycanada.org) for review and to receive official Bee City designation.

If you have any questions about this process, please call Shelly Candel at 647-402-0133.

## Bee City Canada Resolution

**WHEREAS** the goal of Bee City Canada designation is to promote healthy, sustainable habitats and communities for pollinators;

**THAT** bees and other pollinators around the globe have experienced dramatic declines due to land fragmentation, habitat loss, use of pesticides, industrialized agriculture, climate change and the spread of pests and diseases, with serious implications for the future health of flora and fauna; and

**THAT** cities/townships/First Nation communities and their residents have the opportunity to support bees and other pollinators on both public and private land; and

**THAT** supporting pollinators fosters environmental awareness and sustainability, and increases interactions and engagement among community stewards; and

**THAT** by becoming a Bee City, the City of Guelph can highlight initiatives already in place and further engage local communities in an environment of creativity and innovation which will promote a healthier life for our community;

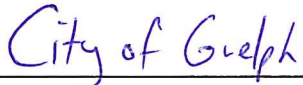
**THAT** staff be authorized to submit the Bee City Canada Application to designate The City of Guelph as a Bee City; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:**

**THAT** the City of Guelph accepts the designation and commits to the standards of the Bee City Canada Program.

Read, approved and adopted this

25<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018.

  
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City of Guelph

  
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Signature of Mayor

  
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Mayor, Cam Guthrie