In accordance with the notice and submission deadline requirements of Sections 18.1 (a) and 11.3, respectively, of Niagara Region's Procedural By-law, the Regional Clerk received from Councillor Greenwood a motion to be brought forward for consideration at the June 20, 2019 Council meeting respecting the establishment of a Committee to celebrate the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Niagara Region.

Whereas on January 1, 1970, the Regional Municipality of Niagara was officially formed;

Whereas in 2010 a number of events were held to commemorate the Regional Municipality of Niagara's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary;

Whereas on January 1, 2020, The Regional Municipality of Niagara will celebrate its 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary or golden jubilee; and

Whereas it is important to communicate and celebrate the initiatives and accomplishments of Niagara Region.

## NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. That Regional Council **ENDORSE** the establishment of a committee to facilitate, plan and organize events to commemorate the Regional Municipality of Niagara's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary to be celebrated in 2020; and
- 2. That staff **BE DIRECTED** to prepare a report respecting Terms of Reference, membership and budgetary information for the Corporate Services Committee meeting being held on July 10, 2019.