

# **Corporation of the Municipality of Brockton**

## **Report to Council**

**Report Title:** COVID-19 Financial Support Resources

**Prepared By:** Trish Serratore, Chief Financial Officer

**Department:** Finance

**Date:** April 28, 2020

**Report Number:** FIN2020-16 **File Number:** C11FIN, P03

**Attachments:** COVID-19 Financial Assistance List

#### **Recommendation:**

That the Council of the Municipality of Brockton hereby receives Report Number FIN2020-16 – COVID-19 Financial Support Resources, prepared by Trish Serratore for information purposes.

### Report:

## **Background:**

On April 7, 2020 Council accepted report FIN2020-13 COVID-19 Finance Update prepared by Trish Serratore, Chief Financial Officer and by doing so approved supporting the Brockton community by waiving the penalty and interest on taxes from April till June 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Analysis**:

Staff would like to provide Council and the community of Brockton with a summary list of information on various assistance programs that are available to provide support during the COVID-19 outbreak. There are a number of federal and provincial initiatives that have been rolled out to support families and businesses during this unprecedented emergency. The attached appendix provides a link to the federal supports as well as information on some of the provincial measures that may be available to many families and businesses within the community. This list is routinely changing with new programs being announced all the time. This list is up to date as of April 8, 2020. Staff are dedicated to continuing to provide community support during this difficult time.

## **Sustainability Checklist:**

What aspect of the Brockton Sustainable Strategic Plan does the content/recommendations in this report help advance?

- Do the recommendations help move the Municipality closer to its Vision?
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Cultural Vibrancy?

Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Economic Prosperity?
 Do the recommendations contribute to Environmental Integrity?
 Do the recommendations contribute to the Social Equity?

N/A

# Financial Impacts/Source of Funding:

Do the recommendations represent a sound financial investment from a sustainability perspective?
 N/A

## **Respectfully Submitted by:**

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