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Date: January 24, 2012

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Whereas Canadians significantly help improve the quality of life in various communities around the world by their involvement as international development stakeholders, volunteers, and supporters; and

Whereas throughout 2012, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) will celebrate 25 years of mobilizing the expertise of Canadian municipalities to support local governance, democratic practices, and the provision of essential services in 43 developing countries, and counting; and

Whereas since 1987, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities has been a valued partner, together with the Canadian International Development Agency and member municipalities, in strengthening the effectiveness and focus of Canada's international aid; and

Whereas during the first full week of February each year, the Government of Canada celebrates Canada's contribution to international development and its commitment to improving the quality of life in various communities around the world;

Therefore be it resolved that the week of February 5-11, 2012, be proclaimed "International Development Week" in the Town of Caledon. We recognize the Federation of Canadian Municipalities contribution over the past 25 years as a Canadian and world leader in international municipal development. Finally, we invite all citizens to become informed about international development, to show their solidarity with developing countries, and to continue to support Canadian municipalities' international community-building efforts.

RECORDED VOTE	YES	NO	CONFLICT	ABSENT
Councillor Beffort				
Councillor deBoer				
Councillor Foley				
Councillor McClure				
Mayor Morrison				
Councillor Paterak				
Councillor Mezzapelli				
Councillor Thompson				
Councillor Whitehead				
TOTAL				

MAYOR: *[Signature: Marilyn Morrison]*

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