

The Corporation of the City of Kenora Council Resolution



Resolution No. 11

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

June 14, 2016

Whereas the province implemented a ban on door-to-door sales for electricity and natural gas contracts by passing the Strengthening Consumer Protection and Electricity System Oversight Act, 2015; and

Whereas Ontarians over the last twelve months continue to experience unsolicited, aggressive and misleading sales tactics at their door from companies seeking to sell home energy products, despite this provincial legislation; and

Whereas the door to door agents acting on behalf of these companies misrepresent their purpose and/or identity, often posing as utility inspectors and government agents needing to gain access to the homes of Ontarians; and

Whereas people across Ontario, and in particular vulnerable City of Kenora senior citizen residents, have been targeted by these door to door misrepresentations and misleading sales tactics;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved That the Council of the City of Kenora urges the Provincial Government to ban all door-to-door sales in the home services sector (more specifically the sale or lease of HVAC equipment, water heaters, water filtration systems and other related home energy products and services by door-to-door sales agents) as soon as possible; and further

That a copy of this resolution be sent to all municipalities in Ontario asking for support by passing a similar resolution and forwarding to their MPPs.

Defeated ____ Carried ☒

Mayor

or A/Mayor

Recorded Vote	AYE	NAY	Dec. of Interest	Absent
Councillor Goss				
Councillor McMillan				
Councillor Reynard				
Councillor Roussin				
Councillor Smith				
Councillor Wasacase				
Mayor Canfield				

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