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MAYOR

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STATEMENT ON THE CORONATION OF HIS MAJESTY KING CHARLES III

"On behalf of the Town of Aurora, I would like to extend my warmest congratulations to His Majesty King Charles III and Her Majesty The Queen Consort on their Coronation.

Along with millions of people around the world, Aurorans are enthusiastically taking part in this historic celebration, the first coronation of a Canadian Head of State and Monarch in nearly 70 years.

The Royal Family has a very special place in the hearts of our community members, including our Queen's York Rangers, one of Canada's oldest and most distinguished military regiments. In 2008, the Town was also honoured to receive the Prince of Wales Prize from the National Trust for Canada, in recognition of our continuing efforts to preserve heritage architecture, furthering strengthening our connection to His Majesty and the Royal Family.

His Majesty's work on a variety of important causes – including the environment, rural communities, architecture, the arts, healthcare and education – have been an inspiration for myself and many residents of Aurora. We thank him for his years of public service and have the utmost confidence he will continue to exercise his constitutional responsibilities in a way that provides stability to Canadian institutions and promotes peace and harmony around the world."

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