

MUNICIPALITY OF CLARINGTON

Council

RESOLUTION # _____

Date April 12, 2021

Moved By Councillor Zwart

Seconded By: _____

**Supporting Hair Service Establishments Remaining Open During
COVID Shutdown**

Whereas Clarington Council remains a strong supporter of our local and small businesses;

And whereas hair service establishments are important businesses in our community;

And whereas hair services establishments in Ontario are mandated to be closed during the COVID-19 Province Wide Shutdown in effect from April 8, 2021 for 28 days;

And whereas most hair salons in Clarington are small, and unable to support their businesses and families during this shutdown;

And whereas hair service establishment owners across the Province have implemented new protocols to keep clients and staff safe, adhering to current COVID-19 measures, when allowed to be open;

And whereas the Region of Durham Health unit inspects salons and spas, and posts inspection results publicly;

Now therefore be it resolved that the Municipality of Clarington:

1. Supports the reopening of the hair service establishments as soon as possible.
2. Supports removing hair service establishments from being included in any further COVID-19 Province Wide Shutdowns and be permitted to open.
3. That this motion be distributed to Premier Ford, MPP Lindsey Park, MPP David Piccini, and all Durham Region Municipalities.