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### **Mayor Olivia Chow Names Councillor Paul W. Ainslie as Deputy Mayor for Scarborough**

**Toronto, ON**, - Today, Mayor Olivia Chow is pleased to announce the appointment of Councillor Paul W. Ainslie as the new Deputy Mayor for Scarborough, taking effective immediately. Deputy Mayor Ainslie brings with him a wealth of practical experience, and a strong commitment to serving our community.

Deputy Mayor Ainslie has been representing Ward 24 Scarborough-Guildwood for 19 years, demonstrating exceptional leadership and dedication to municipal government in Toronto. He brings a broad perspective to City Hall, with more than 25 years of experience at the federal, provincial, and municipal levels of government. His extensive experience in public service has equipped him with the skills and insights needed to effectively address the needs of Scarborough.

Deputy Mayor Ainslie serves on several key Boards and Committees, including Chair of the General Government Committee, Chair of Scarborough Community Council, Night Economy Champion, Executive Committee, Service Excellence Committee, Exhibition Place Board of Governors, Toronto Public Library Board (TPL), Toronto Transit Commission (TTC), Toronto Zoo Board of Management, Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM), Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), Ontario Good Roads' Association, Chair of Federation of Ontario Public Libraries, as well as Chair of Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (TRCA) Board of Directors.

"I am deeply honoured Mayor Olivia Chow has officially named me as Deputy Mayor, and I look forward to collaborating closely with the residents of Scarborough to address their needs and concerns," said Deputy Mayor Ainslie. "Together, we can continue to build a vibrant and inclusive community for everyone."

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