



**Branch Offices:**

January 8, 2024

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Honourable Doug Ford  
Premier of Ontario

The Honourable Sylvia Jones  
Minister of Health

The Honourable Michael Tibollo  
Associate Minister of Mental Health and Addictions

Dear Premier Ford and Provincial Ministers Jones and Tibollo:

**Re: Public Health Strengthening and Chronic Disease Prevention**

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On December 6, 2023, at a regular meeting of the Board for the Timiskaming Health Unit, the Board received the [briefing note](#) and the following motion was passed:

**Motion (#63R-2023):**

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Timiskaming Board of Health endorse Public Health Sudbury and District's [Motion #60-23](#) "Public Health Strengthening and Chronic Disease Prevention" (Appendix A) and send a letter indicating this endorsement to Premier Ford and Ministers Jones and Tibollo.**

The Timiskaming Health Unit fully supports the above recommendations. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Stacy Wight, Board of Health Chair

c: Ontario Boards of Health  
Loretta Ryan, Executive Director, Association of Local Public Health Agencies