Item No. 1  CONDOLENCE MOTION

Moved by:    Mark Grimes, Chair
Seconded by: Jim McMillen, Vice-Chair

The Chair and the Members of the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Michael Sgouraditis on April 20, 2011.

Michael Sgouraditis was born on February 2, 1966 and 22 years later joined the Exhibition Place Family on September 22, 1988 and worked as a Labourer within the Facilities Services Division for 23 years.

Throughout his life, Michael was known for his gentle hand to many strangers and was always willing to help those who were in need. His open heart, his welcoming smile, and his zest for life will be remembered fondly by all of his friends at Exhibition Place.

One recent story of Michael’s generosity involved a friend who needed financial support because she had lost her limbs to a disease. Michael wanted nothing more than to help this person and was going to coordinate a “bike ride run” this summer to raise money so that she could go on with her life. Given Michael won’t be able to carry out this good-hearted deed; his family has now taken on the challenge.

Michael will be remembered by his brother, Spiro Sgouraditis, who also is a member of the Exhibition Place Family, his daughter Alyssa, his son Christopher, his wife Anna, his Mother and Father as well as aunts, cousins and his extended family.

The Corporate Secretary is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place, our sincere sympathy to Michael Sgouraditis’s family.