



The Corporation of the City of Cornwall
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Report

Department: Corporate Services
Division: Human Resources
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Meeting Date: April 12, 2021
Subject: Week of Mourning for City Employees

Purpose

To recognize the service and contributions of individuals in our community who have worked for the City, past and present, and who have passed away.

The City flag shall be lowered the week of April 12, 2021, to honour former city employees who passed away in 2020:

- Donna Diane Marie Bedard
- Shirley-Mae Lister
- Elizabeth (Beth) Ann McNally
- Blake Paquin
- Joyce Jamieson
- Margaret Peggy Fulton
- Gerald (Min) Menard

Donna Diane Marie Bedard



Donna Diane Marie Bedard passed away on April 22, 2020

- Predeceased by late husbands Marcel Bedard and Peter Umbrasas
- Survived by partner Victor Lalonde
- Survived by brothers Richard Marton, Robert Loyer, Half-Brothers Ronald Giroux (Lois), Raymond Giroux (Marielle), Half-Sister Carol Bedard (Leo), Godchild Ashley Bedard (Cody) and many loved nieces and nephews
- Predeceased by mother, Gertrude Loyer, Stepfather, Albert Morton and Father Emilien Giroux
- Ms. Bedard was an employee of the City of Cornwall at the Glen Stor Dun Lodge and retired in 2014

Shirley-Mae Lister



Shirley-Mae Lister passed away on April 13, 2020

- Predeceased by husband Alan Lister
- Survived by children Barbara Primeau (Paul) of Ottawa, Bill (Nancy Jodoin) of Cornwall, Doug (Diane Poulet) of Ottawa and Sarah Paynter (Brian) of Clinton, PEI
- Grandmother to Brendan, Chantal, Kyle, Derek, Kristyne, Daniel, Mélanie, Roy and Gary
- Predeceased by parents Margaret Mary Devine “Mae” and William Stockdale Benson and by sister Patricia Locke
- Ms. Lister was a Registered Nurse at the City’s Glen Stor Dun Lodge from September 1973 until her retirement in 1995

Elizabeth (Beth) Ann McNally



Elizabeth (Beth) Ann McNally passed away on May 11, 2020

- Survived by her spouse Cecil McNally
- Mother of Chris (Marla), Julie (Gregg), Steve (Brooke), Tim (Leesa)
- Cherished grandmother of Abbey, Brayden, Austin, Raeya, Riley, Isla, Fiona, and Clark
- Ms. McNally was as a Registered Nurse at the City's Glen Stor Dun Lodge

Blake Paquin



Blake Paquin passed away on January 6, 2020.

- Husband of Carol Ann Paquin (née Gaines)
- Father of Alysha Ann Lavictoire (Eric)
- Papi of Maxime Lavictoire and Ethan Lemieux
- Brother of Lyn Paquin, and Jerry Paquin
- Brother-in-law to Jacqueline Gaines (Lee Ann) and Ron McKee (late Kathy)
- Survived by his mother, Cecile (née Martel) Paquin (late Merv Baker), by his chosen daughter, Lisa Lemieux and by several nieces and nephews.
- Predeceased by his father, Claude Paquin and his step-mother, Patricia Paquin (née Martin) and by his father-in-law Jackie Gaines and mother-in-law, Georgette Gaines
- Mr. Paquin was the face of the Cornwall Police Services during his tenure as the CPS Media Relations person from 1984 until his retirement in 2014
- Mr. Paquin was a key contributor to many special events for the CPS including leading their response to Y2K, Racing Against Drugs, Cops and Rockers and the accreditation through CALEA

Joyce Jamieson



Joyce Jamieson passed away on September 2, 2020

- Survived by her spouse Roney Jamieson, daughter Jane Tones (Mike), grandchildren, Emilee (Denver) and Kailey Tones, great grandchild Bentlee and sister Gertrude Fyfe (late John).
- Predeceased by her siblings, Beryl, Elaine, Shirley, Doreen, Nit (late Marina), Gilbert Wilson (Donna) and Darcy Greer (late Jim Greer).
- Ms. Jamieson began her municipal career as the Secretary with the then Tourism and Convention Office in the Economic Development Department in July 1953 before becoming the Secretary to the CAO and to the Commissioner of Development until her retirement in June 1991

Margaret Peggy Fulton



Margaret Peggy Fulton passed away on October 10, 2020.

- Wife of Robert Fulton
- Sister of Angus Kennedy (Cathy), Danny Kennedy and Karen Stevenson (Reg)
- Predeceased by her parents John and Mary (née Cyr) Kennedy
- Ms. Fulton was hired by the Cornwall and Housing Corporation as the Manager of Finance and Administration on May 21, 2002, and worked as the General Manager from January 1, 2008 until the time of her death

Gerald (Min) Menard



Gerald “Min” Menard passed away on February 20, 2020

- Survived by his spouse Jeanne Menard (nee Swift)
- Father of Sandra Menard (Morgan MacDonald) and Lissa Menard (Greg Kaddie)
- Grandfather of Angele Cousineau, Nathaniel Houle, Kristopher and Sonya Lepage, Dustin Burrell and Jordan Smith-Earle
- Great-grandfather of Kaitlyn, Kaylee, Kameron, Emily, Connor and Rayna
- Mr. Menard worked as a Cornwall Firefighter from 1958 until his retirement in 1991

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