



Municipality of Thames Centre

Resolution of Council

DATE: Monday, February 10, 2025

Resolution: 48-2025

Moved by: T. Heeman

Seconded by: D. Lockie

WHEREAS US President Trump has declared that Canada will be subject to 25% Tariffs February 1st;

AND WHEREAS the Federal Parliament is prorogued;

AND WHEREAS the Provincial government has announced an upcoming election;

AND WHEREAS Thames Centre businesses face uncertain economic conditions in the face of US tariffs;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Thames Centre conduct a Tariff impact survey of local businesses;

AND THAT Thames Centre Economic Development Committee be **REQUESTED** to conduct an impact open house;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Council **DIRECT** staff to prepare a communications plan;

AND THAT County of Middlesex Economic Development **BE REQUESTED** to supply businesses with up to date program information and convey tariff impacts to appropriate provincial and federal ministries.

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST DECLARED: None.

DISPOSITION: Carried.



Sara Henshaw
Deputy Clerk