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Cambridge Chamber mandated vaccination policy approved

CAMBRIDGE, Ont. - The Cambridge Chamber of Commerce has taken a successful step helping to ensure businesses are able to maintain a healthy work environment for their employees.

The Chamber presented a policy at the Ontario Chamber of Commerce's recent Annual General Meeting and Convention in Brampton calling for provisions to be included in the *Occupational Health and Safety Act* to ensure business wishing to implement a mandated vaccination policy are protected from discriminatory lawsuits.

"It's important, especially now as we continue to battle the effects of COVID-19, that businesses are protected legally should they wish to take steps to ensure they have healthy workplaces and employees," says Cambridge Chamber of Commerce President and CEO Greg Durocher.

The policy received the support of most Chamber delegates who attended the AGM, and now becomes part of the Ontario Chamber policy playbook in its advocacy efforts with the Provincial Government.

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The Cambridge Chamber of Commerce is committed to the enhancement of economic prosperity and the quality of life in Cambridge. A non-partisan organization funded solely by memberships, the Chamber works hard to address concerns of business, provide access to information resources and represent members at the municipal, provincial and federal levels of government. With more than 1,700 member firms, the Chamber's strength is clearly in its hardworking volunteers and committees addressing issues affecting local business and providing practical solutions.