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**To:** Regular Board Meeting , August 20, 2020

**From:** Markus de Domenico, Trustee Ward 2

**Subject: Consideration of Motion –** Suspension of TCDSB’s ME to We participation until further notice.

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**MOVED BY: Markus de Domenico,** Toronto Catholic District School Board

**WHEREAS:** The TCDSB has from time to time supported other charities and events including those events promoted by the Me to We Charity;

**WHEREAS:** It is good governance to ensure that all Board sanctioned events are legitimate, conform with our Catholic values and that the charities are ethical organizations;

**WHEREAS:** There have been reports in the media about WE that have caused some concern among TCDSB stakeholders;

**WHEREAS:** Parents expect the TCDSB to scrutinize events that their children are sent to from our schools and that we endorse as ethical charities;

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT:** Staff temporarily suspend our participation in any further events sponsored by Me to We until the Board is reassured that the current potential ethics issues with the charity are resolved.

**Markus de Domenico**