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Greetings World Health Organization,

With this action plan, the Town of Windsor is enthusiastic about our efforts to join the World Health Organization, AARP and Communities around the world in becoming an Age Friendly Community. With a diverse population of approximately 30,000 people, the Town of Windsor strives to preserve our small town character for both current and future generations. Acting now will enable the Town of Windsor to further benefit from the opportunity presented by our emerging demographics.

As an Age Friendly City, safety and quality of life will improve for all ages as we strive to foster and promote the Town of Windsor as a friendly, family-oriented community. We’re a community with an active, involved citizenry. As a vital growing community with small town character we continue to work hard so our senior community can age in place wherever possible while also staying socially connected. Through improved transportation options like rail and transit, ADA Improvements, and continuous efforts to promote access to a charming Old Downtown Windsor and Town Green areas we are already on the way to creating a safer more connected community for the young and the old, cyclists, pedestrians and drivers.

Just as an Age Friendly Town of Windsor will embrace all ages and walks of life, it will take a broad coalition to move this effort forward. Becoming an Age Friendly City requires widespread community support and a shared mindset that must be incorporated into every phase of life - the way we design our parks, our streets, our neighborhoods, and more. Together we can lay the foundation for our Town of Windsor to thrive as an Age Friendly City for generations to come.

Sincerely,

Dominic Foppoli,
Mayor, Town of Windsor