



CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CHATHAM-KENT

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

FEATURE INDUSTRY

**Harvest-Pac Products Inc.**

WHEREAS the Mayor and Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent recognize the contribution that corporate citizens have made and are making to enhance the economic health of this community;

AND WHEREAS Harvest-Pac Products Inc. began processing tomato products, in 1994, from their facility located at 255 National Road in Chatham;

AND WHEREAS Harvest-Pac processes canned tomato and pumpkin products, all of which are grown in Chatham-Kent, as well as the canning of bean products;

AND WHEREAS the firm employs 35 people for 3 shifts per day, during the processing season, and is responsible for shipping products across North America;

AND WHEREAS Harvest-Pac is approved by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) as a fruit and vegetable processor, and, is the largest pumpkin processing facility in Canada;

AND WHEREAS the business owners are very proud of their staff, many of whom have been with Harvest-Pac since its inception;

AND WHEREAS the business owners firmly believe in beginning with superior raw products in order to produce a high-quality finished product;

AND WHEREAS Harvest-Pac intends to continue to process and market its high quality products throughout North America;

NOW THEREFORE I, Randy Hope, Mayor and CEO of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, proclaim that Harvest-Pac Products Inc. is hereby designated as "Feature Industry" for the month of November, 2009.

PROCLAIMED at Chatham-Kent, Ontario this 25<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2009.

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Randy R. Hope  
Mayor/CEO, Municipality of Chatham-Kent

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Rob Browning  
Chief Administrative Officer

*On Behalf of Chatham-Kent Council:*

Jim Brown, Don Clarke, Marjorie Crew, Joe Faas, Bryon Fluker, Anne Gilbert, Karen Herman,  
Brian King, Tom McGregor, Sheldon Parsons, Steve Pickard, Steve Pinsonneault,  
Larry Mansfield Robbins, Art Stirling, Doug Sulman, Frank Vercouteren, Bill Weaver.