Responses received from certain municipalities in Ontario respecting the request of Toronto City Council for endorsation of its recommendations contained in Clause No. 22 of Report No. 12 of The Committee on Public Works pertaining to "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" as amended and adopted by City Council on May 15, 1974.

MUNICIPALITY	ACTION TAKEN
1. Town of Ajax	Endorsed exclusive of the last recommendation on page 5 of Clause 22
2. Town of Ancaster	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
3. Town of Aylmer	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
4. City of Barrie	Received and filed
5. City of Brampton	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
6. Town of Caledon	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
7. Town of Goderich	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
8. City of Guelph	No action
9. City of Kitchener	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
10. City of London	Not endorsed
11. Town of Milton MSSBSauga - endered Ayr Cela	Endorsed and are opposed to the policy that would make available public funds to objectors
12. Town of Oakville	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
13. City of Orillia	Received and filed
14. City of Ottawa	Not endorsed
15. Town of Pelham	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
16. Town of Richmond Hill	Endorsed City of Taronto proposals
Tan of Stoney Creek- 17. City of St. Catharines	Received
18. City of St. Thomas	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
19. Town of Simcoe	Endorsed City of Toronto proposals
20. City of Thunder Bay	Not endorsed
21. City of Windsor	Not endorsed
22. City of Woodstock	Filed and no further action to be taken

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK



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65 Harwood Avenue Ajax, Ontario, Canada L1S 2H9 942-4550 839-3885

July 10th, 1974.

Mr. G. T. Batchelor, City Clerk, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2.

Dear Mr. Batchelor:

Further to your letter dated June 26th, 1974, re "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment", please be advised that at the regular meeting of Council held on July 9th, 1974, the following resolution was passed:

"That the above brief be endorsed exclusive of the last recommendation on Page 5."

Yours very truly,

A. T. Hodges, A.M.C.T. Clerk.

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300 WILSON STREET EAST, ANCASTER, ONTARIO - L9G 2B9 - TELEPHONE 648-4401

August 27, 1974

Department of the City Clerk, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Attention: Mr. J. Harvey

Re: Green Paper on Enviormental Assessment

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to advise that the Council of this

Town has endorsed the proposals as contained in Report No. 12

of your Committee on Public Works.

Yours very truly,

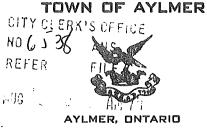
Lloyd V. Hayden,

Town Clerk.

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August 15, 1974.

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk, Department of the City Clerk, City Hall, TORONTO, Ontario.

M5H 2N2

Dear Mr. Batchelor:

This is to inform you that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Aylmer endorsed your proposals as contained in Report No. 12 of the Committee on Public Works of May 15, 1974. These proposals pertained to the "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment."

The Green Paper is a document which is very difficult for a layman to follow and comprehend.

It is primarily for that reason that the consideration and the reply of the Aylmer Council was delayed.

Yours truly,

Assistant Clerk-Treasurer.

Charles Knapps

C. L. Knapp

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P.O. BOX 400 BARRIE, ONTARIO L4M 4T5

July 17, 1974.

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk, City of Toronto, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2M2

Dear Sir:

84 COLLIER STREET

TEL. (708) 726-4242

This is to advise you that Council for the Corporation of the City of Barrie have considered your letter of June 19, 1974 concerning the Province's Green Paper on Environmental Assessment and have concurred with the Public Works Committee on this matter.

The Public Works Committee recomend that your letter requesting the City to endorse your position on the "Green Paper" on Environmental Assessment be received and filed.

The Committee directed me to advise you that the City of Barrie by its Motion 73-P-231 (copy enclosed) of Public Works Committee Report #34, dated December 3, 1973 has already submitted their comments to the Ministry of the Environment on this matter.

Yours very truly,

P. L. Westwood, AMCT, Deputy City Clerk.

Encl.

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PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT #34

73-P-231 That we have studied the Green Paper on Environmental Assessment prepared by the Ontario Ministry of the Environment dated September, 1973. The paper outlines the rationale for an environmental assessment programme and the Ministry has requested the views of minicipal councils and the public-at-large.

That we support the general intention of establishing an independent environmental assessment review system to ensure a co-ordinated consideration of potential environmental effects prior to approval of any undertaking of projects which may or may not involve an environmental impact.

Four alternative systems were proposed by the Ministry of the Environment for discussion purposes. After careful consideration, we recommend Alternative System "B" with the following revisions:

- (a) That the step involving the "decision made by Environmental Assessment Commission, No appeals" be amended by deleting the words "no appeals".
- (b) As a final step add "-refusals by Cabinet".
- (c) That Public Hearings be mandatory for major projects.

That the Minister of the Environment be advised of the above amendments and also that he be made aware of the following concerns of this Council;

- (a) The Green Paper does not appear to have given consideration to the involvement of local government at the initial stages of an assessment review.
- (b) The Green Paper does not define the size or scope of projects which would be considered to involve a detailed environmental assessment.
- (c) If any system of review involves a long approval or rejection system, projects which may have a major effect on a municipality could be unduly delayed.
- (d) The Green Paper does not appear to recognize that a proponent, when exposing an environmental impact project to the scrutiny of an assessment review, both public and governmental, may be violating the main private enterprise competitive weapon, namely secrecy.
- (e) In conclusion, we feel that if the Ministry of the Environment considers any system other than System "B", that a feasibility study system similar to that in use by the Ministry of Transportation and Communications should be thoroughly reviewed for adoption.

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### Brampton

July 17, 1974.
OFFICE OF THE CLERK

July 9th, 1974

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor. City ClerkMr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City of Tocity Clerk, City Hall, City of Toronto, Toronto, Ocieționall, M2H 5M5 Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2.

Dear Sir:

Green Paper on Environmental

Assessment; Our File 135-74
This is to advise you that Gouncil for the Corporation of the City of Bapelarhere considered your letter of June 19, 1974 concerning the Province's Green Paper on Environmental Assessment and have concurred with the Public Works Thankt you for your tletter dated June 19th, 1974 enclosing a copy of Report No. 12 of the Committee on Public Works the city of Toronto pertaining touthing the City to Green Paper Poni Environmental Assessment Invadopted by Assessment Toronto veity council on May 15th, 1974.

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Yours very truly,

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CALEDON, ONTARIO LON ICO

July 9, 1974.

Department of the City Clerk, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario.

Att: Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor

Dear Mr. Batchelor,

Your letter of June 19th came before Council at their regular meeting of July 2nd and I have been instructed to notify you that they endorse the recommendations contained in Report No. 12 of the Committee of Public Works.

Yours very truly,

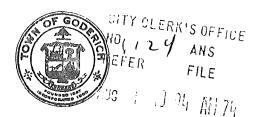
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Clerk,

Town of Caledon.

J. HAROLD WALLS, A.M.C.T.. C.M.C.
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR
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57 WEST STREET UDDERICH, ONTARIO N7A 2K5 PHONE 524-8344

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# Corporation of the TOWN OF GODERICH

July 30, 1974

Department of the City Clerk, City Hall, Toronto, Ont. M5H 2N2

Attn: Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk

Dear Sir:

The Goderich Town Council, at their last regular meeting held on July 25th, 1974, passed a motion to endorse the resolution pertaining to the "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" (Clause No. 22), as amended and adopted by Toronto City Council at its meeting held on May 15, 1974.

Yours truly,

Clerk-Treasurer

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CITY HALL (519) 822-1260 59 CARDEN ST. NIH - 3A1

City Clerk's Office, July 24, 1974.

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Mr. G. T. Batchelor,
City Clerk,
City Hall,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Guelph City Council held July 22, 1974, the following resolution was passed:

"THAT no action be taken to endorse the resolution passed by the Council of the City of Toronto on May 15, 1974, with reference to the Green Paper on Environmental Assessment."

Yours truly,

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Mr. F. M. Woods. City Administrator. W. G. Hall, City Clerk.



### City of Kitchener

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Kitchener, Ontario, Canada, City Hall Postal Code N2G 4G7 Box 1118

> CITY CLERK'S DEPARTMENT Call Direct 519-885-7 243

August 1, 1974.

City of Toronto, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2

Mr. G. T. Batchelor, Attention: City Clerk

Dear Sir:

Please be advised that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kitchener passed the following resolution at a meeting held on Monday, the 29th day of July, 1974.

"That the resolution submitted by the City of Toronto regarding the Green Paper on Environmental Assessment be endorsed."

Yours very tr

L. F. Parkhouse,

Assistant City Clerk.

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W. S. ROSS, B.A., City Clerk

## THE CITY OF LONDON, ONTARIO'S CANADA.

### DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY CREAKS

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300 Dufferin Avenue P.O. Box 5035, London N6A 4L9 Telephone 679-4530

In Reply Please Refer To:

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September 4, 1974

P. C. McNORGAN, A.M.C.T., Deputy City Clerk
K. W. SADLER, A.M.C.T., Assistant City Clerk

The Honourable William Newman Minister of the Environment Parliament Buildings Toronto, Ontario

Dear Mr. Nevman:

I hereby certify that the Municipal Council, at its last session, resolved:

5. That the attached resolution of the Council of the City of Toronto, adopted at its meeting on May 15, 1974 be NOT endorsed. (55.14.1) (5/14/E.P.S.C.)

Your truly,

W. S. Ross,

City Clerk.

/ds

c.c. City Clerk, Council of the City of Toronto Mr. A. K. Rowntree, City Engineer



## TOWN OF MILTON 251 MAIN ST. E. ONTARIO, CANADA

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

July 18th, 1974.

Mr. G. T. Batchelor,
City Clerk,
City of Toronto,
City Hall,
Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2

Dear Mr. Batchelor:

Thank you for your letter dated June 19th, enclosing the "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment", which was placed before our Council on Monday, July 15th, 1974.

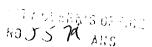
While our Council endorsed the recommendations contained in the report, they did not endorse and are opposed to the policy that would make available public or private funds to objectors.

Thank you for giving the Town of Milton an opportunity to comment on the report.

Yours very truly,

C. Thompson
Deputy Clerk.





### THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF CAKVILLE

TELEPHONE 845 6601 P. O. BOX 310 LGJ 5A6

July 10th, 1974.

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk, City of Toronto, City Hall, TORONTO, Ontario. M5H 2N2

Re: Green Paper on Environmental Assessment - Clause No. 22.

Dear Sir:

We are pleased to advise that the Council of the Town of Oakville on July 2nd, 1974, endorsed the position taken by the Council of the City of Toronto on May 15th, 1974 regarding the "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment".

Yours very truly,

DN W. Vickery, Deputy Clerk,

TOWN OF OAKVILLE.

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c.c. to: The Honourable James W. Snow.



CITY OLERK'S OFFICE NO/5 78 BOX 340 - ONILLIA, ONTARIO

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

July, 9, 1974.

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk, Department of the City Clerk, City Hall, TORONTO, Ontario. M5H 2N2.

Dear Mr. Batchelor:

This is to advise you that your letter, dated June 19, 1974, requesting endorsation of Report No. 12 of the Committee of Public Works pertaining to "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" (Clause No. 22), was presented to a meeting of Council held on July 8, 1974.

At that time, Council received your correspondence as informational and ordered it filed.

Yours truly,

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## CITY OF OTTAWA

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July 16, 1974

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Mr. G. T. Batchelor City Clerk City Hall Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Dear Sir:

Re: Green Paper on Environmental Assessment

City Council, last evening, considered your Council's request for endorsation of certain recommendations with respect to the above and which was adopted by your Council on May 15, 1974.

You might note City Council has already forwarded a detailed submission to the Ministry on this subject and agreed that rather than assess in detail the differences between Ottawa's submission and that of the City of Toronto, in order to decide whether to endorse in whole or in part the Toronto submission, that the Toronto proposals not be endorsed and the City Council simply confirm its original submission by forwarding a copy to the City of Toronto for their information. Council further noted that failure to endorse the Toronto proposals does not indicate opposition to them.

For any additional information, please communicate with Mr. J. E. MacKenzie, Commissioner of Physical Environment.

Yours truly,

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c.c. Department File Physical Environment A. T. Hartey City Clerk

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July 17, 1974

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk City of Toronto City Hall Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Dear Sir:

Green Paper on Environmental Assessment adopted by Toronto City Council, May 15th., 1974

This is to advise that the following resolution was adopted by Council with regard to the above noted subject.

> "THAT Council of the Town of Pelham endorse the position of the City of Toronto as contained in Report #12 of their Committee of Public Works pertaining to the Green Paper on Environmental Assessment."

> > Yours very truly,

TOWN OF PELHAM

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L. C. Hunt

Clerk-Treasurer

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July 31, 1974

Mr. G. T. Batchelor, Clerk, City of Toronto, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2

Dear Mr. Batchelor:

Council on July 29th, 1974 endorsed Roport No. 12 of the Committee of Public Works pertaining to "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" as amended and adopted by Toronto City Council at its meeting held on May 15th, 1974.

A certified copy of the resolution is attached.

Yours truly,

L. M. Clement,

Clerk.

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"That the Council of the Town of Richmond Hill endorse the "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" outlined in Report #12 of the Committee of Public Works as amended and adopted by City Council at its meeting held on May 15th, 1974.

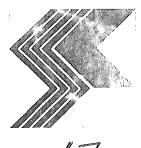
Carried Unanimously"

I, L. M. Clement, Clerk of the Town of Richmond Hill do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a Resolution passed by Council at a meeting held on the 29th day of July, 1974.

Clerk

### CITY OF ST. CATHARINES

BOX 3012 CITY HALL ST. CATHARINES, ONTARIO L2R 7C2 PHONE (416) 684-6371 HAROLD J. COVE, CITY CLERK



July 23rd 1974.

Mr. G. T. Batchelor, City Clerk, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2

Dear Sir:

I have been directed by the General Committee of City Council to acknowledge receipt of your correspondence dated June 19th 1974 submitting a copy of a report of the Committee of Public Works pertaining to "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment".

This matter was submitted to City Council for study at its meeting held on July 15th 1974 and Council has directed that the report of your Public Works Committee be received.

Yours very truly,

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### ROBERT A. BARRETT, A.M.C.T., C.M.C.

PETER J. LEACK, A.M.C.T.
DEPUTY CITY CLERK



DEPT. OF AL MINISTRATIVE SERVICES
P.O. BOX 526 CITY HALL
ST. THOMAS, ONTARIO NSP 3V7
(519) 631-1680

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July 22nd, 1974

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor City Clerk City Hall Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Re: Green Paper on Environmental Assessment

Dear Mr. Batchelor:

The Council of the City of St. Thomas has endorsed the recommendations contained in Report No. 12 of the Committee on Public Works pertaining to "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment".

Notification of this endorsement is today being forwarded to the Ontario Ministry of the Environment for their information.

Sincerely yours,

P. J. Leack

Deputy City Clerk

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

### THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF SIMCOE SIMCOE, ONTARIO N3Y 4L5

**TELEPHONE 426-5870** AREA CODE 519

September 6, 1974.

Department of the City Clerk, City Hall, Toconto, Ontario. MSH 2N2

Attention: G.T. Batchelor, City Clerk,

> Re: "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" Report No. 12 - Committee of Public Works

Dear Sir:

Please note below a copy of the Simcoe Advisory Planning Committee Resolution dealing with the above-noted matter.

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"The Simcoe Advisory Planning Committee recommends to Council of the Town of Simcoe the endorsement of the recommendations of Council of the City of Toronto as amended and adopted on May 15, 1974 favouring System "C" as the most desirable approach to environmental assessment".

Council of the Town of Simcoe approved the Committee's recommendation on September 3, 1974.

Yours very truly,

Clerk.



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Office of the City Clerk City Hall, Donald Street Thunder Bay, Ontario P7E 5V3

July 29, 1974

Mr. G. T. Batchelor City Clerk Department of the City Clerk City Hall Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Dear Sir:

I am directed to advised you that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Thunder Bay did not endorse the recommendations contained in Report No. 12 of the Committee on Public Works pertaining to "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" (Clause No. 22), as amended and adopted by Toronto City Council at its meeting held on May 15, 1974.

Yours very truly,

D. B. Morris, A.M.C.T. City Clerk

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### CITY OF WINDSOR

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK

CITY HALL WINDSOR, ONTARIO N9A 651

TELEPHONE 254-1011 AREA CODE 519

PLEASE REFER TO FILE NO. B/F 550

July 9, 1974

Mr. Gordon T. Batchelor, City Clerk City Hall Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

ATTENTION: Mr. J. Harvey

Dear Sir:

SUBJECT: "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment"

Further to the Clerk's letter of June 19, 1974 the following resolution was adopted by City Council on October 29, 1973 with respect to this matter:

"990/73 That a copy of the report by the City's Administration on the Ministry of Environment's "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment", be forwarded to the said Minister, and that he be advised that out of its consideration of the report, Council is of the opinion that 'System "C"' for Environmental Assessment Procedures, appears to be the most advantageous provided however, that the proposed Environmental Review Board is empowered to decide whether or not public hearings should be held for any particular project".

The recommendation of your Council was not submitted to my Council for consideration in view of the difference in the recommendations suggested and secondly, a decision was made by the Windsor Council some months ago for submission to the Minister of the Environment.

Yours very truly,

Deputy City Glerk

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CITY HALL P.O. BOX 40 WOODSTOCK, ONT. N4S 7W5

June 28th, 1974.

Mr. G.T. Batchelor, City Clerk, City of Toronto, City Hall, Toronto, Ontario. M5H 2N2

Mr. Batchelor:

Your letter of June 19th, 1974, requesting endorsation of proposals in connection with the "Green Paper on Environmental Assessment" was presented to Woodstock City Council at a regular meeting held on June 27th, 1974.

This is to advise that Council noted and filed this item with no further action to be taken.

Yours sincerely,

JM/da

J. McGinnis, Deputy Clerk.