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Honorable Steve Clark
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Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
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Hon. Steve Clark,

RE: Growing the Greenbelt

Armstrong Planning & Project Management represents a substantial land holder in southern Ontario. Through this letter we are requesting to be kept appraised of the Province's "Growing the Greenbelt" initiative as consultation progresses; in addition, we have signed up for notifications through the Province's website.

We have reviewed the proposal details as outlined on the Environmental Registry of Ontario's (ERO) website and require further clarification on one matter. Can you please advise if is the Province's objective to expand the greenbelt through updates to the mapping only, or, is there also an expectation to add a new policy section in the Greenbelt Plan to address the Paris Galt Moraine.

We are specifically interested in learning if the Province plans to maintain existing greenbelt policies that allow for the construction of essential infrastructure like roads, and services through lands that, through this review, may be newly identified as Greenbelt lands (c/o the Paris Galt Moraine landform) but are needed to support planned growth within existing settlement areas.

Thank you in advance for considering this request and we look forward to your response.

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Regards

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