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The Regional Municipality of York
17250 Yonge Street
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Attention: Mr. Lloyd Russell, Commissioner of Finance and Treasurer

Dear Mr. Russell:

Re: The Regional Municipality of York Development Charges

We are the solicitors for the Mattamy Group of Companies and are members of BILD. Our clients have lands in the Region of York and are very concerned about the magnitude of the proposed increase.

We support the request being made by BILD to take the appropriate amount of time to allow for further consultation. It is our hope that further dialogue will lead to consensus and avoid the need for a protracted process after adoption of a new by-law.

Yours truly,
TOWNSEND AND ASSOCIATES



for Lynda J. Townsend

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