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**General Issues Committee Members**

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To Whom It May Concern,

Hamilton Technology Centre (HTC), located in on 7 Innovation Drive in Hamilton, opened its doors in 1993 and is currently striving to foster the development of technology companies by providing a private flexible facility that offers defined office space and community opportunities for businesses to connect with one another to learn new skills and network. To date, Hamilton Technology Centre is at full capacity with 20 tenants (approximately of 80-100 people) such as Clearcable™, Coding Products of Canada Ltd., Steel Image, Genesis Health Light Corporation, Gigit, Synthetic Virus Technologies (SVT), DEI Associates, and the Flamborough Chamber of Commerce.

A bus route on Innovation Drive would benefit the various tenant companies, their employees, and our neighbours on the street which will lead to further economic development in the business park. Currently, there is a lack of pickup/drop off locations which is impeding new employees and students from reaching us, therefore impacting employment and coop opportunities.

Late 2017, Hamilton Technology Centre made a request to the HSR to have the bus route reinstated on Innovation Drive. It was supported by many of the companies on Innovation Drive including Hamilton Technology Centre, Clearcable, TechMark, Niagara Pharmaceuticals Inc., Adventec Manufacturing Inc., SFS intec, Intech, and Mapi Group. The request was denied on November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017 stating "Ridership from subject companies would not be sufficient to justify adding another bus to the Route #18 allotment..."

If you require any additional information, please let us know. The direct number is 905-522-6747 and direct email is [jlangdon@clearcable.ca](mailto:jlangdon@clearcable.ca).

We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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