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City of Hamilton
Planning & Economic Development Department
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## RE: 115, 117 GEORGE STREET & 220, 222 MAIN STREET WEST, HAMILTON

To: The City of Hamilton

Please accept this letter as my support for the upcoming development at the above property (corner of Main and Queen). I am the registered owner of Hess Street South, which is located just down the street from the proposed development.

In my view, adding new residents and foot traffic to Hess Village will be positive for the growth of nearby businesses. We also have a housing shortage, so it will be great to add more housing options in Downtown Hamilton.

I have seen 3D images of the buildings and the architecture looks attractive and would preserve the character of the surrounding area. The new building at 15 Queen Street South has turned out well, and I am hoping to see another high-quality building at this location.

I am happy to provide my support for this application. In my opinion, our community will see new benefits from the high-rise building.

Yours truly,

