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Via PDF Email Only.

City of Hamilton Planning and Economic Development Department 71 Main Street West, Hamilton, ON, L8P4Y5 Sent via email to: <u>clerk@hamilton.ca</u>

Attention: Mayor and Members of Hamilton City Council

Reference: Elfrida Lands Official Plan Amendment Application – Urban Boundary Expansion

Dear Mayor and Members of Hamilton City Council:

We, RTG Systems Inc., have been working as part of the local homebuilding and construction industry in the Hamilton area for over fifty years. We are committed to providing high quality services and products, with a well-trained, caring, and respectful workforce.

For many years, both as an area employer and proud Hamiltonians, we have been looking forward to Hamilton expanding its boundary and bringing in the Elfrida Community. This new community will benefit our business, our families, and our young people in so many ways, it will provide:

- High quality construction jobs for our workers, both the site staff and the office support staff.
- Much needed work for our suppliers and service providers.
- More possible diverse housing supply for the many families who work with us.
- More opportunity for our young people to realize their dream of someday owning their own home.

We strongly urge the Council to support this application and by doing so, support the entire homebuilding industry, support our families, and support our young people towards attaining their dream of possible home ownership.

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Please consider this as our formal comments on the Elfrida Lands Application.

We thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Yours truly,

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Stephen C. Ğayowsky, P.Eng. President