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**RE: Review and Entry into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports:
Archaeological Assessment Report Entitled, "Stage 1 & 2 Archaeological
Assessment for 6710 Hurontario Street, Part of Lot 9, Concession 1W.H.S, Former
Township of Toronto North in Peel County, City of Mississauga, Regional
Municipality of Peel, Ontario", Dated Apr 21, 2020, Filed with MHSTCI Toronto
Office on May 1, 2020, MHSTCI Project Information Form Number P489-0006-2019,
MHSTCI File Number 0010721**

Dear Mr. Savage:

This office has reviewed the above-mentioned report, which has been submitted to this ministry as a condition of licensing in accordance with Part VI of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c 0.18.¹ This review has been carried out in order to determine whether the licensed professional consultant archaeologist has met the terms and conditions of their licence, that the licensee assessed the property and documented archaeological resources using a process that accords with the 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* set by the ministry, and that the archaeological fieldwork and report recommendations are consistent with the conservation, protection and preservation of the cultural heritage of Ontario.

The report documents the assessment of the study area as depicted in Map 6 of the above titled report and recommends the following:

Section 7.8.4, Standard 1

Site AjGw-620 is considered to be of further cultural heritage value or interest and should be subject to Stage 3 site-specific assessment.

The Stage 3 assessment must include detailed historical documentation and test unit excavation as per Sections 3.1 and 3.2 of the 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists*.

The general Stage 3 test unit excavation will follow Section 3.2.2 of the 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* and the location and number of test units will follow the strategy for small post-contact sites where it is not yet evident that the level of cultural heritage value or interest will result in a recommendation to proceed to Stage 4: test units will be placed and excavated in a 5 m grid across the site, and additional units amounting to 20% of the initial grid unit total will focus on areas of interest within

the site extent, i.e. distinct areas of higher concentrations within a broader artifact concentration (e.g. possible midden area), and/or adjacent to high- yield units.

Section 7.8.4, Standard 2

The report makes recommendations only regarding archaeological matters.

Based on the information contained in the report, the ministry is satisfied that the fieldwork and reporting for the archaeological assessment are consistent with the ministry's 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* and the terms and conditions for archaeological licences. This report has been entered into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports. Please note that the ministry makes no representation or warranty as to the completeness, accuracy or quality of reports in the register.

Should you require any further information regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Thanos Webb
Archaeology Review Officer

cc. Archaeology Licensing Officer
Bruce McCall-Richmond, GSAI
John Dunlop, Mississauga Heritage Advisory Committee

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