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Clerk of the Affordable Housing Committee:

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Affordable Housing Committee, Meeting on June 3, 2010

Agenda Item 13.2

We are writing to express our support for the items relating to the release of funds from the Development Charge Reserve Account to support affordable housing developments in the City of Toronto.

By partnering with the City of Toronto, Toronto Community Housing has had the opportunity to help deliver on the City's affordable housing goals. In addition, we are also helping to create mixed-income neighbourhoods in new and revitalized communities.

While we are particularly supportive of the funding that directly supports projects on the West Don Lands and Railway Lands that benefit developments managed by Toronto Community Housing, we are pleased to see that the City is also able to support other affordable housing developments through this mechanism. We wish our fellow developers of affordable units the very best.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank the City of Toronto for its ongoing support of Toronto Community Housing's development initiatives.

Yours truly,

John Fox

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