November 16, 2012

The Honorable Mayor and City Council City Of Toronto, Toronto City Hall, 2nd Floor 100 Queen Street West Toronto, ON

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Dear Mayor and Councilmember's:

It is with great pleasure that I write this letter in support of The National Elephant Center (TNEC).

The City of Fellsmere is delighted in having been chosen as the site for TNEC. We have been very impressed with the professionalism and dedication TNEC has shown to the City of Fellsmere. The leadership and staff of the organization have been very engaged with the community in developing the site and building awareness of the educational opportunities that TNEC will offer.

Not only has TNEC taken the time to educate and build awareness in the community, but they have also included local firms in the construction of the site, thus adding additional economic value to the project within the region. They have been great partners and great neighbors throughout the process and the care and concern they have shown for the elephants and the community is beyond our expectations.

It goes without saying that we are very excited to have The National Elephant Center as a part of our community and we are looking forward to the first elephant's arrival in the first quarter of 2013.

Best Regards,

Susan Adams

Mayor