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Executive Committee
c/o Cathrine Regan
12th Floor, West Tower, City Hall
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Re: Ex 27.9 First Parliament Master Plan

Dear Mayor Tory and Members of the Executive Committee:

At the October 27th meeting, the Master Plan for the First Parliament Site will be considered for approval. This plan represents the culmination of many years of communication consultation and collaboration with City planners and it is a vital document to guide the detailed planning that will emerge from the consultations with Infrastructure Ontario and Metrolinx.

Over the decades, the community surrounding the First Parliament Site has grown from a deserted industrial space to a vibrant and diverse neighbourhood. Now we can take all of our work and ensure the Master Plan is adopted. As far back as August 2001 when ASI undertook an archeological assessment to August 2003 where John Tory, a former history student, and Councillor McConnell stood on a flat bed truck vowing that this site should be preserved. Also having served on the original working group with Pam McConnell is it essential that her work be recognized and why adopting the guidelines within the Master Plan are so important, to ensure that those elements deemed critical by the residents are respected and addressed.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Kavanagh
Chair, Development Committee

cc. SLNA Board of Directors
Councillor Wong-Tam