

July 12, 2022

City of Toronto Executive Committee TO:

RE. Quayside Business and Implementation Plan

AGENDA ITEM: EX34.11

RECOMMENDATION: Support for Staff Recommendations

Dear Mayor Tory and Committee Members:

The St. Lawrence Neighbourhood Association (SLNA) represents the interests of 30,000+ people who live in the neighbourhood. Our boundary on the east side is Yonge Street to Queen Street East, south on Parliament to the rail corridor. We are immediately north of our neighbours the East Waterfront Community Association. We are also founding members of the West Don Lands Committee. The St. Lawrence Neighbourhood Association (SLNA) is a not-for-profit organization incorporated in 1982. We support the staff report before you today for next steps in the implementation of the Quayside neighbourhood.

The SLNA has been a champion of development for Quayside and look forward to seeing that work continue. The promenade has garnered international awards and this work will continue to revitalize the eastern waterfront with a strong commitment to equity and inclusion.

We fully support the report outlining the road map for approvals and support Waterfront Toronto's Quayside project and recommendations detailed by The Deputy City Manager, Infrastructure and Development Services. The SLNA has been a key stakeholder working with Waterfront Toronto and appreciates the strong relationship we have with Waterfront Toronto and their community engagement processes on the many projects we have been involved with for decades.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Kavanagh, Chair Development Committee

SAC member Waterfront Toronto

cc. Board of Directors, SLNA Councillor Joe Mihevo