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MOTION

Feasibility of the City of Toronto acquiring the Heritage "Plank Road Building", located at 2371 Weston Road

Moved by: Councillor Frances Nunziata

SUMMARY:

The Heritage "Plank Road Building", located at 2371 Weston Road is presently vacant and is not being maintained in accordance with a Heritage Easement agreement made between the owner of the building and the former City of York in 1956. The building received official Heritage Designation on March 30, 1982.

The local community is interested and willing to be responsible for both renovating the building and for implementing and running programming in it. The owner would likely be willing to relinquish ownership of the building at no cost because the required repairs are very expensive. The building is currently not occupied due to structural reasons.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. That the Facilities & Real Estate Division report back to the Etobicoke York Community Council on the feasibility of acquiring the "Plank Road" building, located at 2371 Weston Road.
- 2. That the acquisition be modeled after the acquisition of the Lambton House, where the community was responsible for all renovations and programming.

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Sincerely,

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