

**Planning and Growth Management Committee - 2013.PG25.10 on June 20, 2013 Planning & Growth Management Committee**

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Planning & Growth Management Committee Members,

Thank you for taking a leadership position with the Toronto Green Standard. I understand it has had a positive influence over the Ontario Building Code.

I am writing to request that you consider enhancing energy conservation efforts through your upcoming review of the TGS. Please consider the recommendations made by Sustainable Buildings Canada to save money and reduce our GHG emissions. Energy conservation efforts are a great way to lead when it comes to climate change.

Every bit counts when it comes to climate change. We need to work towards creating a sustainable planet for our children and grandchildren. Adopting more stringent building standards is an important step in this direction.

Sincerely,

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