To the City Clerk:

Please add my comments to the agenda for the August 25, 2014 City Council meeting on item 2014.EY35.16, Amendment to the Reasons for Listing on the City's Inventory of Heritage Properties - 51 Panorama Court

I understand that my comments and the personal information in this email will form part of the public record and that my name will be listed as a correspondent on agendas and minutes of City Council or its committees. Also, I understand that agendas and minutes are posted online and my name may be indexed by search engines like Google.

Comments:

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IO, in its capacity as manager of the MEDEI real estate portfolio, has been undertaking due diligence activities for the potential future disposition of the provincially owned property known as the Thistletown Regional Centre at 51 Panorama Court. This property was formerly used for the provision of children's mental health services and is now vacant.

IO has been consulting extensively with the City and also provided a comment letter to Community Council. Heritage Preservation Services has advised that they will be amending the report to clarify and further identify particular areas, elements, views and species which merit preservation and that they will be holding meetings with all interested parties to address these concerns. Upon completion they will issue an amendment to the report with a map clarifying the exact location of the elements of the landscape.

Based on the above, IO requests that this item be deferred until the additional consultations have taken place and the report is amended.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

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