



November 27th, 2017
Executive Committee
City Hall
Toronto, ON M5H 2N2

Re: Development of Low-Carbon Thermal Energy Networks (LCTEN) (EX29.7)

Dear Committee Members:

TAF is encouraged to see momentum on advancing thermal energy networks in Toronto, in alignment with action 2.3 of the TransformTO report approved in July 2017.¹

The creation of low-carbon thermal energy networks is an essential component to realizing the GHG reduction commitments made by the City. As you probably know, TransformTO includes the development of low carbon thermal energy systems as a long term objective, committing to connecting 30% of total community-wide floor space to low carbon thermal energy networks by 2050.

Moving forward in partnership with Enwave Energy Corporation is a great first step in achieving the climate goals set out by the City. TAF commends these efforts and looks forward to seeing how this exciting project progresses.

Sincerely,

Bryan Purcell
Director of Policy and Programs
The Atmospheric Fund

¹ <https://www.toronto.ca/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/99b9-TransformTO-Climate-Action-for-a-Healthy-Equitable-and-Prosperous-Toronto-Report-2-The-Pathway-to-a-Low-Carbon-Future-Staff-Report-April-2017.pdf>