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Her Worship Olivia Chow Mayor, City of Toronto City Hall, 100 Queen Street West, 2nd Floor. Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2 mayor chow@toronto.ca Dear Mayor Chow: Olivia

I am writing to seek recommendations from the City of Toronto for a member to sit on the Board of Directors of the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC).

MPAC delivers property assessment services on behalf of Ontario's municipalities. The corporation is governed by a 13-member Board of Directors, comprised of seven municipal representatives, four taxpayer representatives, and two provincial representatives.

Toronto's property assessment base represents a significant portion of the overall tax base of the Province of Ontario, and we believe it is important that Toronto have a voice on MPAC's board. By agreement with the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, a municipal position has been designated for a representative for the City of Toronto.

The term of office of the current representative on MPAC's Board of Directors from the City of Toronto, Roberto Rossini, expires on July 12, 2024, at which time he will have reached the maximum period of eligibility to sit on this board.

I would appreciate receiving the names of two nominees from Toronto from which we may select a candidate to fill the upcoming term expiry on MPAC's board.

The municipal representatives on the board must be either: current or former elected officials of a municipality; or current or former officers or employees of a municipality.

It is customary for the nominations from Toronto to be communicated to the Minister of Finance in correspondence sent by the Mayor or Clerk and to be supported by a council resolution.

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If you or your officials have further questions about the MPAC board appointment process, please contact Ms. Catherine Nicol, Director of Appointments, at <u>Catherine.Nicol2@ontario.ca</u>

Thank you again for writing.

Sincerely,

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c. Catherine Nicol, Director of Appointments, Ministers Office Ministry of Finance