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Toronto City Hall
100 Queen Street West
Toronto, ON M5H 2N2
Attention: Cathrine Regan

RE: EX20.3 Old City Hall - Future Uses Analysis

Dear Mayor Olivia Chow and Members of Executive Committee,

The East York Foundation recognises the historical and built heritage importance of the Old City Hall property and supports the recommendation to examine potential future uses.

We understand that the existing building is inappropriate for a museum . However, we continue to support the idea of a Museum of Toronto at Old City Hall and believe that that the site is perfect in many other respects. As such, we suggest that consideration be given to developing the Museum as a new purpose-built structure within the Old City Hall building's inner courtyard, enabling the historic fabric to be adapted to a variety of small-scale public uses.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair of the Board of Directors

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