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**RE: Review and Entry into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports: Archaeological Assessment Report Entitled, "Stage 3 Archaeological Assessment Viasaga Lands AiHc-492 Part of Lots 15 and 18, Beasley's Broken Front Concession, Geographic Township of Waterloo, City of Cambridge, Region of Waterloo, Ontario ", Dated Dec 6, 2019, Filed with MHSTCI Toronto Office on Dec 18, 2019, MHSTCI Project Information Form Number P389-0410-2018, MHSTCI File Number 0009758**

Dear Dr. McCall:

This office has reviewed the above-mentioned report, which has been submitted to this ministry as a condition of licensing in accordance with Part VI of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c 0.18.<sup>1</sup> This review has been carried out in order to determine whether the licensed professional consultant archaeologist has met the terms and conditions of their licence, that the licensee assessed the property and documented archaeological resources using a process that accords with the 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* set by the ministry, and that the archaeological fieldwork and report recommendations are consistent with the conservation, protection and preservation of the cultural heritage of Ontario.

The report documents the assessment of the study area as depicted in Map 4 of the above titled report and recommends the following:

Based on the results of the Stage 3 assessment, wherein no test units yielded 10 or more artifacts, P2 (AiHc-492) does not fulfill the criteria for further archaeological investigation as per Section 3.4 of the *Standards and Guidelines* (Government of Ontario 2011) and retains no further CHVI. Stage 4 archaeological mitigation of impacts for P2 (AiHc-492) is not recommended.

Based on the information contained in the report, the ministry is satisfied that the fieldwork and reporting for the archaeological assessment are consistent with the ministry's 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* and the terms and conditions for archaeological licences. This report has been entered into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports. Please note that the ministry makes no representation or warranty as to the completeness, accuracy or quality of reports in the register.

Should you require any further information regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Paige Campbell  
Archaeology Review Officer

cc. Archaeology Licensing Officer  
Sandy Acchione, Intermarket Real Estate Group  
Jane Gurney, Region of Waterloo

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