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**Subject: January 1, 2023, Progress Report**

As required by Ontario Regulation 687/21 please accept this correspondence as Otonabee Conservation's January 1, 2023, Progress Report.

**Sec. 7 (3) (a) – Municipal Comments or Feedback Regarding the Program & Service Inventory.**

No change.

Otonabee Conservation has not received any municipal comment or feedback regarding the inventory. Conversations with municipal staff have primarily dealt with the terms of agreements and arranging for their presentation to municipal council.

**Sec. 7 (3) (b) – Summary of Changes Made to the Program & Service Inventory.**

No change.

**Sec. 7 (3) (c) - Update on the Progress of Negotiating Cost Apportioning Agreements.**

No change.

Otonabee Conservation has executed a cost apportioning agreement with two municipalities.

Other municipalities will be advising the Authority on how they intend to bring the matter before its Council in the new year.

**Sec. 21 (2) – Prepare and adopt a Written Fee Policy and Schedule by January 1, 2023.**

Otonabee Conservation Board adopted a draft fee policy and schedule at their October 20, 2022, Board meeting. It was sent to member municipalities and posted on our website for

public comment for over 30 days as required. No comments were received. On December 15, 2022, the Board adopted the prescribed fee policy and schedule. It remains posted on the website.

**Sec. 7 (3) (d) – Outline of Any Difficulties that May Affect the Ability to Conclude Cost Apportioning Agreements by the Transition Date.**

No challenges have been identified at this time.

**Additional Note: Bill 23 *More Homes Built Faster Act***

Otonabee Region Conservation Authority notes that there maybe unintended consequences and impacts related to Bill 23 *More Homes Built Faster*. The ability to develop local responses with our member municipalities is key for our stakeholders and the Authority.

I trust the above adequately addresses the requirements for reporting progress. Please do not hesitate to contact me if there any questions.



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