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To the Ontario Energy Board,

The Milverton Business Association is a group consisting of over fifty local businesses operating in the Milverton area. We work together to promote the local community and build our businesses together.

The decision of the Ontario Energy Board to further delay the expansion of natural gas services to Milverton is particularly troubling to our group. The importance of the project for the growth of our businesses and expansion of our business community cannot be understated.

We are concerned that this decision has impacted the development of the commercial tax base and residential growth of Milverton, further impacting the potential that each of our member businesses have.

With our collective voice, we strongly urge the Ontario Energy Board to consider and approve the application documents provided by Union Gas. The delay of this project will continue to negatively impact the potential of each of our businesses and the ability of our community to grow as a whole.

Thank you for your efforts and considerations for this project and for the services provided by the Ontario Energy Board.

Yours truly,

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