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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street

Dear Ontario Energy Board:

Toronto, Ontario, Canada

## Re: **Natural Gas Consultations**

Please be advised that the following resolution was adopted by Committee of the Whole at its meeting held on March 21, 2016, and subsequently ratified by City Council on April 11, 2016:

"With respect to NOMA seeking intervenor status before the Ontario Energy Board on consultation on the expansion of natural gas distribution, we recommend that City Council for the City of Thunder Bay advise the Ontario Energy Board that it supports the position adopted by NOMA, NOACC and CVNW that the expansion of the natural gas distribution system should be paid for by all current and future gas rate payers and the OEB implement new ratemaking mechanisms including changes to current economic tests to expand natural gas distribution on such basis."

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Should you have any further questions relative to the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

Krista Power Deputy City Clerk

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