Corporation of the Township of Chisholm

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> Leo Jobin, Mayor Linda M. Ringler, Clerk-Treasurer

May 11, 2016

The Honourable Kathleen Wynne Premier of Ontario Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier:

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Chisholm, at its May 9th, 2016 meeting, passed resolution number 2016-169, copy enclosed, in support of a resolution passed by the Council of the Township of North Stormont.

This resolution requests that the Ontario Energy Board examine the proposal to expand natural gas services and make it available to all of Eastern Ontario rural areas such as the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry and the United Counties of Prescott-Russell as it is vital to economic development and business expansion and retention as well as the increase of employability.

Council hopes you take this resolution under serious consideration and give it your utmost careful thought and deliberation.

Yours truly,

(Mrs.) Linda M. Ringler, A.M.C.T.

Clerk-Treasurer

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CC: VOntario Energy Board

Honourable Brad Duguid, Minister of Economic Development, Employment and Infrastructure

Honourable Bob Chiarelli, Minister of Energy

Honourable Jeff Leal, Minister of Agriculture Food and Rural Affairs

Victor Fedeli, MPP Nipissing

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHISHOLM

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RESOLUTION

May 9th, 2016 Session, No. 169

Moved by: Chris Jull

Seconded by: Nunzio Scarfone

Be it resolved that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Chisholm supports Resolution # 609 passed by the Council of the Township of North Stormont requesting that the Ontario Energy Board examine the proposal to expand natural gas services and make it available to all of Eastern Ontario rural areas such as the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry and the United Counties of Prescott-Russell as it is vital to economic development and business expansion and retention as well as the increase of employability.

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L. Ringler Clerk-Treasurer

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Leo Jobin, Mayor

| RECORDED VOTE | | DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST | |
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| | For | Against | |
| Mayor Leo Jobin | | | Mayor Leo Jobin |
| David Hodgins | | | David Hodgins |
| Chris Jull | - 17 | | Chris Jull |
| Walter Ross | | | Walter Ross |
| Nunzio Scarfone | | | Nunzio Scarfone |