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Mr. Bill White Chief Administrative Officer/Clerk Town of Minto 5941 Highway 89 Harriston ON NOG 1Z0

Dear Mr. White:

Thank you for bringing the Town of Minto's report on Bill 68, Modernizing Ontario's Municipal Legislation, 2016 to my attention. I appreciate you taking the time to share Minto's views, specifically concerning the Bill's proposals regarding climate change and local integrity commissioners.

Through Bill 68 we have proposed updates to municipal legislation that would, if passed, make local government more transparent, accountable and effective for communities in all parts of our province.

These proposed reforms are the result of extensive consultations with our municipal partners and I would like to thank Minto for its contribution during the consultation phase of the review.

Once again, thank you for sharing Minto's report. Please accept my best wishes.

Sincerely,

Bill Mauro Minister

c: Randy Pettapiece, MPP Perth – Wellington

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