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February 2, 2015

Re: Chappus Fencing – Rt. Hon. Herb Gray Parkway Restoration Areas

Dear Resident,

On September 16, 2014, representatives from the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) and the Parkway Infrastructure Constructors (PIC) environmental team met with local residents regarding illegal motorized vehicle access (ATVs) in the MTO ecological restoration areas in the vicinity of Chappus Street. At the time, residents were informed of the intent to install a permanent fence to protect these ecologically sensitive areas in 2015.

Beginning **Monday, February 2, 2015**, a crew will be in the area surveying property lines to assist in determining the permanent fence configuration. Crews will be present in the area over the next two weeks.

Once the alignment is determined there will be a need for some brush removal to accommodate the fence. This work will be supervised by a project biologist to ensure that any environmental impacts are minimized. **The fence will be constructed entirely on MTO and/or City of Windsor property and not on private properties.**

At the September meeting, residents told us about the importance of maintaining some pedestrian access to the area. The planned fence design includes pedestrian access points. When the fence alignment and public access points have been confirmed with the City, a community meeting will be held to present residents with the final fence configuration along with details on timelines and next steps.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact MTO at detroit.river@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joel Foster".

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