June 28, 2021

Honourable Doug Ford Premier of Ontario

Email: premier@ontario.ca

Dear Premier Ford:

Re: Request for Discretionary Regional Reopening Strategy

The Council of The Corporation of the Town of Tecumseh, at its regular meeting held Tuesday, June 22, 2021, gave consideration to a letter received from the County of Essex, dated June 2, 2021, to the Premier of Ontario requesting the Province to reconsider the criteria used in its COVID-19 reopening strategy and allow for discretionary decisions based on real-time regional data in Ontario's unique regions.

At their meeting, Tecumseh Council passed the following resolution:

'That the resolution from the County of Essex requesting that the Province of Ontario reconsider the criteria used in the COVID-19 safe reopening strategy for businesses, and that discretionary decisions, in accordance with the multi-step criteria, be advanced by region based on regional data available at the present time."

Please consider this letter as confirmation of the Town of Tecumseh's support of the County of Essex Resolution 131-2021.

Yours very truly,

Laura Moy, Dipl.M.M.

Director Corporate Services & Clerk

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Enclosure (Letter from the County of Essex dated June 2, 2021)

cc: Warden Gary McNamara

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