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His Worship John Grant
Mayor
Township of Brock

Dear Mayor Grant:

I am pleased to announce that the province has released its plan to build a better transportation system in the Greater Golden Horseshoe to meet forecasted population growth and future needs of the region. *Connecting the GGH: A Transportation Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe* is a 30-year plan that will support population and employment growth, reduce gridlock, connect communities and improve people's access to jobs, housing, health care and education.

The Greater Golden Horseshoe is a dynamic, integrated economic region with diverse communities requiring different transportation needs. Ontario's plan considers many new challenges to prepare for the future including impacts of climate change, new technologies such as automated and connected vehicles, and shifting demographics that will change the way people travel.

The 2051 vision includes proposed infrastructure improvements, service improvements and policies organized under four inter-related themes:

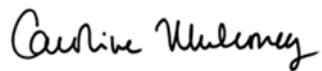
- Fighting gridlock and improving road performance;
- Getting people moving on a connected transit system;
- Supporting a more sustainable and resilient region;
- Efficiently moving goods.

Progress is already being made towards this vision, with many actions underway. The plan also sets out more than 100 immediate and near-term actions that the province and its partners are taking, and will take, to make substantial progress towards our 2051 vision for mobility.

Municipalities have been important partners at every stage of the planning process, and will be essential to support implementation of our plan. We are committed to working closely with municipalities, the public, transportation agencies, Indigenous communities and organizations, industry, and businesses as we consider implementation of the individual elements of the vision.

If you have any questions or comments, or require additional information, please do not hesitate to email GGHTransportationPlan@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Caroline Mulroney".

Caroline Mulroney
Minister of Transportation