Committee: Environmental and Ecological Planning Advisory Committee

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: Christian Tham

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Occupation: Environmental Planner

Work experience: Developing manuals and environmental policy documents to enhance environmental sustainability principles in residential land subdivisions; General Review of Environmental Assessment Reports; Research into best practise regarding the concept of Green Subdivisions;

Education: Masters Degree in Environment and Sustainability (Western University); [Courses Studied: Ecosystem-Health; Life-Cycle Analysis; Environmental Planning & Management; Engineering Solutions; Independent Project Consulting; etc.] Post-graduate diploma in Business Management (Fanshawe College); Skills: Research and Report writing skills; Interdisciplinary Background;

Interest reason: Live in the City of London for the past 4years and I have a passion of how environmental sustainability principles can be integrated into economic developments (e.g. commercial developments)

Contributions: Review proposed developments in the City and make recommendations that will enhance environmental sustainability

Past contributions: Currently developing a guideline for the Municipality of Middlesex Centre's Planning & Development Dept. This guideline will assist the municipality to incorporate environmental concepts into future residential land subdivisions in accordance with the municipality Strategic Plan..

Interpersonal: I have conducted numerous environmental researches in different countries and cultures. This has given a cross-cultural experience that enables me to respect the skill, abilities and knowledge of others.

Interview interest: Yes