Dear Chair and Members of the Civic Works Committee,

As our city's gateways are an important way to market the city and promote assessment growth, I respectfully request that the following motion be adopted:

- a) That the appropriate measures be taken to complete the Hamilton Road regeneration with buried utilities
- b) That staff investigate the Provincial Main Street Regeneration Fund announced on January 23, 2018 as a full or partial source of funding for this project.
- c) That a "Gateway Beautification Reserve Fund" be created
- d) That \$225,000 of the 2018 assessment growth be directed into this fund
- e) That the additional financial requirements for the project be funded through debt with payments taken from the Gateway Beautification Reserve Fund

Sincerely,

Michael van Holst Councillor Ward 1