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The Environmental Management Guidelines (EMGs) was circulated as a consent item with the Planning and Environment Committee Agenda on the October 13th for the October 18th meeting. A link to the agenda item can be found [here](#). For your convenience, I've also attached a digital copy of the EMG. Please submit comments you may have on major concepts or concerns in advance of meetings for Staff review.

The purpose of the report is to provide Council with the final draft of the EMGs that are to be circulated for public review in advance of a future public meeting. Based on April 15, 2021, the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) issued an Order approving the Environmental policies of The London Plan. This approval included several additions, deletions and modifications to the policies as adopted by City Council and approved by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing in 2016. Staff have reviewed the approved policies and made further revisions and refinements to the draft EMGs where necessary to provide appropriate direction.

Changes to the previous draft included in this version focused on reducing redundancy, improving clarity, aligning the EMGs with approved policy and incorporating external group comments where appropriate.

Staff are available for an additional meeting with each group to review, and resolve where possible, any further comments that are received. Meetings will be scheduled between November 15th and November 26th. A public participation meeting will be held later in 2021 to receive public comment prior to any Council consideration.

Best Regards,



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