

April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Good day, I hope this letter finds you well.

We are reaching out to you to advise you that Grey County is in the preliminary stages of the development of an Archaeological Management Plan (AMP) and has retained [TMHC Inc.](#) to undertake this work.

An AMP is a planning tool that identifies areas of archaeological potential using known archaeological site locations, changes in landforms and waterways over time and takes into consideration traditional land use patterns and areas of historic settlement. The AMP is being created to help address provincially mandated requirements for the conservation of archaeological sites and resources in communities across the province.

The AMP will incorporate GIS-supported mapping for areas of archaeological potential to meet the overall goals of the AMP, which include the following:

- Guide development away from lands that have archaeological interest;
- Assist local municipalities when reviewing development applications;
- Provide a detailed inventory of known archaeological sites and previously assessed archaeological areas; and,
- Digitally map areas of archaeological interest.

We are in the preliminary stages of this project and are reaching out to you to provide an invitation for any comments or information that you would like to share pertaining to the development of the AMP. If it is of interest or of help, we would also welcome the opportunity to virtually meet and talk further. We plan to continue engaging with you at your convenience over the course of several phases of work involved in the AMP project in order to meet the overall goals of the AMP.

We ask that preliminary comments and information be shared by May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024. If you would like to provide information but the timeline poses challenges, please let us know and we'll do our best to accommodate a different schedule.

Let us know if you have any questions at this time and we are looking forward to working with you on this project!

Regards,



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