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Mr. Emil Kolb
Regional Chair and CEO
Regional Municipality of Peel
10 Peel Centre Drive
Brampton ON L6T 4B9

Dear Chair Kolb:

Thank you for your letter of June 3, 2011 requesting consideration of Peel Council's Resolution Number 2011-378 related to the "Home in Peel" program.

First, I would like to acknowledge your contribution to the success of the Homeownership component, specifically the "Home in Peel" program. Our partnership under the 2009 Extension to the Canada-Ontario Affordable Housing Program – totalling \$900,000 in funding – assisted 83 renter households with low or moderate incomes to transition into homeownership.

On July 4, 2011, federal, provincial and territorial ministers responsible for housing announced a new Affordable Housing Framework 2011-2014. Under this framework, a combined investment of \$1.4 billion will be made to reduce the number of Canadians in housing need. Federal funding is conditional on bi-lateral agreements being signed with a province or territory.

Ontario is now in the final stages of negotiating a bi-lateral agreement with our federal counterparts.

Once again, thank you for your commitment to providing affordable housing to Peel residents.

Sincerely,

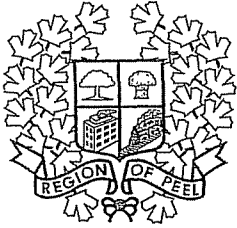
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Office of the Chair

June 3, 2011

Resolution No. 2011-378

The Honourable Rick Bartolucci
Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing
17th Floor, 777 Bay Street
Toronto ON M5G 2E5

Dear Minister Bartolucci:

Subject: Home in Peel: Affordable Home Ownership Program - Phase Two Information Update

I am writing to advise that Peel Regional Council approved the following resolution at its meeting held on April 28, 2011:

"That the Regional Chair write, on behalf of Regional Council, to the Minister of Human Resources and Skills Development Canada, the Minister Responsible for the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation and the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, to request their government's positions on their commitment to Years Three to Five of the Canada - Ontario Affordable Housing Program, including the Affordable Home Ownership component."

On behalf of Regional Council, I request that you give consideration to the above resolution. I look forward to your reply. Please quote the Region of Peel's reference number in your reply.

Sincerely,

Emil Kolb
Regional Chair and Chief Executive Officer

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c: Janet Menard, Commissioner of Human Services
Dino Chiesa, Chair of the Board of Directors, CMHC
Karen Kingsley, President and CEO, CMHC