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Dear Sheila Gurrie,

I received your letter dated October 5, 2022 and hand delivered on Thursday October 6, 2022. This letter was unsealed, did not contain a certified copy of the Council Resolutions, nor was a carbon copy delivered to my appointed agent, Gabriela Reinhold, as was stated as having been done in said letter.

I wish to request a reconsideration from the Council in regards to the resolutions passed in the October 3rd meeting as:

1. Even though both myself and Gabriela Reinhold were summoned and spoke with several people about attending the Council meeting on October 3, 2022, nobody ever advised either of us orally or in writing that she had to pre-register to speak at this meeting. She in fact was present and ready to speak requesting, among other things, an extension of the date of the remedial action deadline.
2. We have a letter from an engineer stating that all additions are safe albeit not to code, which we submitted to Lindsay Fitzgerald sometime in 2020, a few months before our original building permit application.
3. We have been working on obtaining a building permit but the requirements keep getting changed as soon as we meet the previous requirements.

We have reapplied for a building permit and have the word of both the designer and the surveyor that they can get the additions that were requested to us in about 2 weeks. I do not know how much time that it will take internally, on the City's behalf, to issue the building permit assuming that all requirements are met this time.

We hence ask for an extension of 60 to 90 days please to give us time to get a building permit in place.

If you have any questions or need more information, feel free to contact my appointed agent, Gabriela Reinhold at [REDACTED]

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Best regards,  
Yan Bernier.



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