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Nadine Kopp (P378)
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RE: Review and Entry into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports: Archaeological Assessment Report Entitled, "Stage 1 and 2 Archaeological Assessment Sand Road Pit Entrance Part Lot 15, Concession 6, Geographic Township of Asphodel, Current Township of Asphodel-Norwood County of Peterborough, Ontario ", Dated Dec 5, 2025, Filed with MCM on Dec 12, 2025, MCM Project Information Form Number P378-0126-2025, MCM File Number 0022634

Dear Nadine Kopp (P378):

This office has reviewed the above-mentioned report, which has been submitted to this ministry as a condition of licensing in accordance with Part VI of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c 0.18.[1] This review has been carried out in order to determine whether the licensed professional consultant archaeologist has met the terms and conditions of their licence, that the licensee assessed the property and documented archaeological resources using a process that accords with the 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* set by the ministry, and that the archaeological fieldwork and report recommendations are consistent with the conservation, protection and preservation of the cultural heritage of Ontario.

The report documents the assessment of the study area as depicted in Map 5 of the above titled report and recommends the following:

Based on the results of this investigation it is recommended:

1. No further archaeological study is required for the portion of the study area shown in pink as delineated in Map 3.

2. If there are areas within the tributary for the Ouse Creek that are to be impacted by this project, a Criteria for Evaluating Marine Archaeological Potential Checklist must be completed.

Based on the information contained in the report, the ministry is satisfied that the fieldwork and reporting for the archaeological assessment are consistent with the ministry's 2011 *Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists* and the terms and conditions for archaeological licences. This report has been entered into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports. Please note that the ministry makes no

representation or warranty as to the completeness, accuracy or quality of reports in the register.

Should you require any further information regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Morgan
Archaeology Review Officer

cc. Archaeology Licensing Officer
Josiah Latone,Frain Bros, Excavating Ltd
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[1] *In no way will the ministry be liable for any harm, damages, costs, expenses, losses, claims or actions that may result: (a) if the Report(s) or its recommendations are discovered to be inaccurate, incomplete, misleading or fraudulent; or (b) from the issuance of this letter. Further measures may need to be taken in the event that additional artifacts or archaeological sites are identified or the Report(s) is otherwise found to be inaccurate, incomplete, misleading or fraudulent.*