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Township Issues Statement Regarding Court Application Related to By-Law 2014-111

Oro-Medonte, ON – The Township of Oro-Medonte indicated on a number of occasions that By-law 2014-111 was null and void due to an inadvertent oversight that occurred during the approval process. To make clear that this is the case, on May 27, 2015, Council took the step of repealing the By-law.

Despite the assertions and actions on the part of the Township, legal counsel for Save Oro Inc. & West Oro Ratepayers' Association Inc. (WORA) is proceeding with its court application against the Township to quash By-law 2014-111.

The Township will have legal representation in court on Friday, June 12, 2015 to present its position in response to the application. The Township continues to be of the position that the legal application being pursued by Save Oro Inc. & WORA is redundant and will result in unnecessary costs to the municipality that will ultimately be borne by the general taxpayer.

Oro-Medonte is a diverse and beautiful community with a central location in Ontario. A community of 20,078 full-time residents, Oro-Medonte covers a land area of 61,000 hectares, stretching from the northern border of Barrie and Lake Simcoe to the southern fringes of Orillia and north to Tay and Severn Townships. For more information, please visit our website at www.oro-medonte.ca.

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