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**WHEREAS,** the Ontario Municipal Board is a provincial agency composed of unelected Members unaccountable to Ontarians, and
**WHEREAS,** the Ontario Municipal Board has the power to unilaterally alter local development decisions made by municipalities and their communities, and
**WHEREAS,** the City of Toronto has a planning department composed of professional planners, an extensive legal department and 44 full-time city councillors directly elected by its citizens, and
**WHEREAS,** Toronto's city council voted overwhelmingly in February 2012 to request an exemption from the Ontario Municipal Board's jurisdiction,

**THEREFORE WE,** the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly of Ontario to recognize the ability of the City of Toronto to handle its own urban planning and development, and
**FURTHER,** that the Ontario Municipal Board no longer have jurisdiction over the City of Toronto.

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