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Mr. Bruce Macgregor Chief Administrative Officer The Regional Municipality of York 17250 Yonge Street, 4th Floor Newmarket ON L3Y 6Z1

Dear Mr. Macgregor:

# Re: Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care Agreement with The Regional Municipality of York as amended, dated July 31, 2015 ("the Agreement")

This letter is further to the recent letter from the Honourable Dr. Eric Hoskins, Minister of Health and Long-Term Care, in which he informed your organization that the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (the "ministry") will provide The Regional Municipality of York up to \$220,600 in one-time funding for the 2016-17 funding year to support your community paramedicine initiatives. This will be the final extension of this funding.

The ministry entered into an accountability agreement with The Regional Municipality of York dated August 1, 2014, as latest amended, July 31, 2015. I am pleased to provide you with two copies of the amending agreement (the "Amending Agreement No. 2") that contains the terms and conditions governing the funding referred to in the Minister's letter.

We appreciate your cooperation with the ministry in managing your funding as effectively as possible. You are expected to adhere to our reporting requirements, particularly for in-year service and financial reporting, which is expected to be timely and accurate. Based on our monitoring and assessment of your in-year service and financial reporting, your cash flow may be adjusted appropriately to match actual services provided.

The government remains committed to eliminating the deficit by 2017-18 and therefore it is critical that you continue to manage costs within your approved budget.

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## Mr. Bruce Macgregor

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Please review the Amending Agreement carefully, sign both copies enclosed and return both copies to:

Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care Health System Accountability and Performance Division Home and Community Care Branch 1075 Bay Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor Toronto ON M5S 2B1 Attention: Dianna Cochrane

When all the parties have signed the Agreement, the ministry will return one copy to you and will begin to flow the funds.

Should you require any further information or clarification, please contact Dianna Cochrane, Implementation Lead, by phone at (416) 327-3967 or by e-mail at Dianna.Cochrane@Ontario.ca.

The ministry looks forward to continuing to engage with you as we review options regarding the role of community paramedicine in Ontario's health care system.

Sincerely,

Tim Hadwen \* Assistant Deputy Minister

Enclosure

c: Mr. Wayne Emmerson, Regional Chair and Chief Executive Officer, The Regional Municipality of York

Mr. Jim Yuill, Director, Financial Management Branch, MOHLTC

Mr. Phil Cooke, Director, Fiscal Oversight & Performance Branch, MOHLTC