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Good morning Mayor and Council,

I am writing to provide a brief update on the work proceeding under the auspices of the Task Force established pursuant to your resolution adopted on March 31.

In particular, I can advise that we are preparing a report and accompanying presentation for your consideration at your next set of regular meetings on June 8/9. That status report will include an synopsis of application volumes and an overview of the various initiatives subject to oversight by the Task Force. We will also provide detail regarding the ongoing implementation of an initial tranche of measures intended to address the current backlog of outstanding applications.

With this report, we also plan to present Council with a first set of recommendations for bylaw and/or policy changes that would be expected to expedite development or building approvals.

If you have any questions pending receipt of the above report in the coming weeks, please let me know.

Best,
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