

January 20, 2025

Mayor Carolyn Parrish & Members of General Committee  
City of Mississauga  
300 City Centre Drive  
Mississauga, Ontario  
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**RE: *January 22, 2025 General Committee Meeting***  
***Agenda Item 10.1 - Mayor's Housing Task Force Report***

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Mayor Parrish and members of Council,

Congratulations to you, City staff, and all members of the Mayor's Housing Task Force for the release of your ***Mayor's Housing Task Force Report***.

As a member of the Task Force, I can attest to the comprehensive and extensive Task Force process which involved a group of committed industry leaders, as well as a unified and devoted city team who were laser focused on arriving at a set of tangible solutions to address the housing crisis. Thank you for being open to understanding the challenges the industry is currently facing, for creating an environment of collaboration to identify forward-thinking opportunities, and for recognizing what immediate steps the City can take.

The extensive list of solutions are primed to accelerate residential and non-residential development to help increase housing and employment opportunities for residents and businesses in Mississauga. The City should be celebrated for being leaders! You are clearly doing your part to address today's economic and housing realities, and the report's solutions rightly recognize that all levels of government also need to be at the table.

Again, congratulations to all for the outstanding work and effort. It has been an honour and pleasure to be a part of this historic process and resulting report. We at BILD, as well as our members who are your partners in building complete and vibrant communities in your city, look forward to working with you and your staff on the Report's successful implementation.

Sincerely,



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