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Dear Mr. Davidson,

Thank you for your letter regarding your concerns over the brook trout and fish habitat. The Town of Erin has followed the advice of the Credit Valley Conservation authority and Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks to ensure the future of wastewater servicing in Erin fully complies with the Environmental Assessment Act.

Reading your letter, I understand that you are concerned about the Brook Trout in the Credit River. I can assure you that the Town has taken this into consideration and in fact the Credit Valley Conservation authority stated by discharging at the 10th Line, as currently planned, the effluent would not affect the trout hatching.

You note that the Town's growth forecast has risen from 14,500 to 18,905. To best explain, the urban areas (Village of Erin and Hillsburgh) will grow to approximately 14,500 by the year 2041. The 18,905 figure represents the total amount of growth by the year 2041, which includes the urban and rural population. The County of Wellington allocates the Town of Erin's growth, as the Province of Ontario provides upper-tier municipalities with growth predictions, which is then allocated to lower-tier municipalities, in this case, to the seven municipalities across Wellington County.

I would like to refer you to the attached letter provided by the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks, as I feel it would address many of your environmental concerns.

I also encourage you to stay up-to-date in the Town's wastewater servicing project, by visiting our website: www.erin.ca/town-hall/corporate-initiatives/wastewater.

Regards,

Allan Alls
Mayor, Town of Erin