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Mayor Allan Alls  
Town of Erin  
5684 Trafalgar Road  
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By email to: [Allan.Alls@Erin.ca](mailto:Allan.Alls@Erin.ca)

Re: Invitation to a Coalition online Zoom Meeting  
Thursday, 25 March 2021, 7:00 pm

Dear Mayor Alls:

The Coalition for the West Credit River is concerned about extensive ecological damage occurring at the site of the proposed Town of Erin Wastewater Treatment Plant ("Project"). This damage included, but was not limited to, a forested area of large trees pulled out by the roots, smaller trees and brush cut and burned, a treed buffer zone removed, and deep ruts cut through a large section of an Order 1 headwater stream. It is our understanding this stream is fish habitat.

A Coalition member has reached out to your staff Planner to determine whether permits and authorizations were in place before this work was undertaken; however, this information has not been forthcoming.

Therefore, the Coalition is inviting you to attend our online Zoom meeting scheduled for Thursday, 25 March 2021, at 7:00 pm, to answer the following questions:

1. Which permits and/or authorizations did the Town of Erin and/or Solmar obtain before carrying out this work on the proposed Erin Wastewater Treatment Plant Project lands;
2. Who is the registered owner of the subject Project lands;
3. Who directed this work to be done; and
4. Who performed the work?

Please find attached a Site Map showing damaged area. The Coalition looks forward to your response.

Respectfully,

Judy Mabee, President  
Belfountain Community Organization

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