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Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2021 at 3:27 PM

Subject: Re: Website Feedback re: Riverside Trail

To: Phil Bartnik

Hello Phil Bartnik and Council Members,

Thank you very much for taking the time to respond to my letter. Further to the information you and Andrew have provided, can you please clarify for me at what point in the process does the Environmental Impacts and their costs and/or compensations that have not been addressed get assessed with a value? There are upwards of 80 households that have unanswered or unresolved questions pertaining to the negative impacts on the nature, social, economic and/or built environments of their households and that believe that there are significant potential environmental effects that have not been contemplated by the Town of Tecumseh administration, Consultants or Council. These negative environmental effects were not considered during the class selection of the class environmental assessment type nor as a result of the public consultation. These negative environmental effects have not been costed out and are not reflected in the proposed cost of this project. There remains significant public concerns regarding negative environmental impacts that have not been acknowledged and/or remain unaddressed. I believe that due to these factors the classification of this project is incorrect and requires a more in depth individual assessment. Will you please consider changing the classification of this trail project to one that has more significant negative environmental impacts than was originally considered and that requires a more in depth assessment of these environmental impacts?

Can you please clarify at what point in the process does the acknowledgement of these potential impacts take place and at what point in the process does the evaluation of these impacts take place?

Thank you in advance for taking the time to reply to my letter.

Sincerely,
Rhonda DeGraaf