NOTICE TO MEMBERS

November 26, 2015

Background:

On October 26, 2015 Council approved the proposed amendment to section 200 of the CTCMPAO By-Laws for circulation for consultation. The amendment is outlined below:

200. Effective April 1st, 2017, and each April 1st thereafter, each fee described in these by-laws shall be increased by the percentage increase in the annual Consumer Price Index for goods and services in Ontario as published by Statistics Canada or any successor organization plus two percent (2%) and rounded up to the nearest dollar.

The College, for this one year only, is proposing to forgo the increase in membership fee, which would otherwise be applicable in 2016 under the existing By-Laws. Members may apply the savings, in the otherwise applicable increase in member fees, towards the cost of completing PLAR. All Grandparented members must complete the PLAR process by July 1, 2017. The membership fee rate increase under the existing bylaw will resume for the June 1, 2017 renewal period.

Deadline

We look forward to receiving your written comments by the **January 26**, **2016 deadline**.

Please submit your comments by email (preferred) to registrar@ctcmpao.on.ca.

Alternatively, you may fax your submission to 416.214.0879 or mail your submission to:

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