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*Addition To Agenda
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Mayor Ellen Anderson
Town of the Blue Mountains

Dear Mayor Ellen Anderson:

We are finalizing our plans for the Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association Summer Tour that we are hosting at our farm on Sunday August 7th. We hope that you will be able to attend the Sunday event. You will have the opportunity to bring greetings from the Town of Blue Mountains and we are happy that you will be able to highlight the environmental initiative in partnering with the OSCIA on the enhancement for the EFP for area farmers. This demonstrates your continued leadership in environmental issues in the Town of the Blue Mountains.

This is the first time that the OSCIA Summer meeting has been held in the Town of the Blue Mountains and only the second time in its over 70 year history that it has been in Grey County. We recognize the fact that council turned down our first request for sponsorship but wondered if you would reconsider and be interested in funding the bus or lunch on Tuesday when we will be touring Bay Growers Cooperative and learning about the apple industry and packing industry. The approximate cost of either of these would be \$500.00. You would be most welcome to join us for the tour on Tuesday, 8:30 to noon, and/or for the lunch at Ravenna Hall on Tuesday at noon after the tour. We are happy to highlight the importance of the apple industry to our local area.

The Sunday program will be at our farm from 2pm – 5 pm with farm tours and a walk on the Bruce Trail. The supper will begin at 5 pm.

Yours truly,

Joan McKinlay
1st Vice President
Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association.