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Your Worship
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Your Worship
Mayor Kevin Eccles
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Dear Heads of Council:

Subject: Minister's Restructuring Order Filing Notice
Subsection 173(11) of the Municipal Act, 2001

Thank you for submitting the restructuring proposal between the Town of Hanover and the Municipality of West Grey on December 22, 2025.

Please find enclosed a copy of the Minister's Order which gives effect to the restructuring proposal that affects your municipality. The effective date of the Order is May 1, 2026, and it was published in the Ontario Gazette on April 18, 2026.

Please ensure that a copy of this Order is available for public inspection, in accordance with subsection 173(12) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*.

It's always encouraging to see the collaborative efforts of municipalities working together to strengthen local governance and deliver services effectively.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert J. Flack".

Hon. Robert J. Flack
Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing

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