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Roger Robitaille  
Manager of Planning and Development  
Township of Tiny  
130 Balm Beach Road West,  
R.R. #1, Perkinsfield, ON  
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**Re: FENCING STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS FOR THE  
MUNICIPALITY OF TINY TOWSHIP**

Dear Mr. Robitaille,

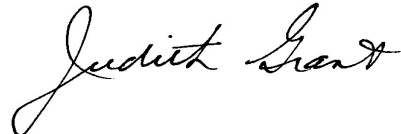
We have discussed the matter of the Municipality's fencing restrictions and regulations with some care. We have read the two reports prepared by Shawn Crawford and we have consulted our memories. We can recall only two instances where a fence issue has come before Council. One concerned a backyard fence that was sufficiently high (18') that it cut off the airflow for a neighbouring yard and the other is the fence in Balm Beach that is currently of concern. The first instance presented itself early in the Council term that ran from 1997 to 2000; in response, a fence committee was established, but was unable to bring forward recommendations about a fence by-law, though there were committee meetings through much of that Council's term.

We are of the view that the residents of Tiny Township usually come to sensible decisions about fences, working out equitable arrangements with their neighbours, and employing appropriate ways to define the boundaries of their properties.

On the shore, very few fences have been erected over the years, and we feel that some amicable solution to the present unfortunate situation at Balm Beach can be found.

In our opinion, the current regulations have served the Township well. We therefore suggest that we continue with the status quo.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Judith Grant". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Judith Grant  
President  
on behalf of the Directors of  
the Federation of Tiny  
Township Shoreline  
Associations

Cc: CAO, Tiny Township, Mayor and Councillors, Tiny Township