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Subject: RE: cornell child care geothermal project

Hi Brent,

The Town of Ithaca concurs with the Village of Cayuga Heights declaration to be the lead agency for the environmental review of the Cornell Child Care Geothermal Project.

This project does not require site plan approval from the Town of Ithaca Planning Board. Further, the proposed building will be located entirely within the Village of Cayuga Heights, so the Town of Ithaca Building Department has no concerns or objections. Also, the Town of Ithaca Engineering Department has reviewed the plans and has spoken with Cornell University regarding the geothermal wells, who has confirmed that all wells will be within the Village of Cayuga Heights. Therefore, the Engineering Department has no objections, comments, or concerns.

Thank you for the opportunity to review the project and comment.

Cheers, Chris (she/her)

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