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To Whom It May Concern:

In the Fall of 1988, the Town of Leamington placed gabion stone along the banks of the Selkirk Drain adjacent Seacliff Culvert. Due to heavy rainfalls, this rip-rap was washed into the drain causing severe erosion.

At this time, we contacted West Lorne Pre-Cast for recommendations for a more permanent application for bank protection. We were introduced to the product called cable-concrete and the various sizes.

Under their supervision, we installed the product along the same banks for approximately 100 feet and along the invert of the drain. This installation was completed in the fall of 1990 and with equally intense rainfalls, the cable concrete is still in place and performing to its full potential. Also, due to the design of the matting, this has allowed for vegetation growth enabling root system to enhance the stabilization of the embankment area.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself at 1-519-322-2348.

Yours truly,

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