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Subject: support for K Cilevitz motion re Bill 108

Hello to City of Richmond Hill Clerk's Dept:

As a resident of Richmond Hill, I am writing this email to show my strong support of Councillor Karen Cilevitz' motion OPPOSING the provincial Bill 108.

As someone who professionally wrote numerous editorials over 15 years as editor of The Liberal newspaper, I firmly believe that Bill 108 will turn back the clock to the days when an unelected, unaccountable provincial body – the OMB – made decisions about land use that IGNORED the local decisions made by municipal councils.

Despite the new name – LPAT – if Bill 108 is enacted, I believe the will of local councils and ordinary people such as myself, who may seek to oppose a local planning application in our own neighbourhoods, will be restricted or again ignored.

I hope ALL other council members of the City of Richmond Hill will oppose this piece of provincial legislation.

Sincerely,

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