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Subject: Declare a Climate Emergency in Richmond Hill

Hi all,

Since I am not able to attend the council meeting, I am writing in support of the motion, proposed by David West, to declare a Climate Emergency in Richmond Hill.

Climate change is real and its affects are already being seen in Canada as wildfires and extreme weather conditions. Canada is especially impacted by climate change as it is warming at twice the rate of the rest of the world.

Municipalities and countries around the world are recognizing the seriousness of this issue by correctly acknowledging that this is a Climate Emergency. I strongly encourage our councilors to vote for this motion.

Thank you

Shan Hampton