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Subject: Objection to proposed changes to the Yonge Bernard Key Development Area

Attention City of Richmond Hill Council,

I am writing to express my concerns and outrage regarding the continued push for further high density development in Richmond Hill notably the Yonge Bernard Key Development. I am concerned like many Richmond Hill residents that the proposed increase to density IS NOT SUPPORTED BY THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND WILL NOT BE SUPPORTED IN THE NEAR FUTURE. I am also concerned that it appears that some in this council may be pushing this agenda at a time of crisis (COVID-19) which significantly detracts further focus and discussion around this issue and the sentiments held in the community. I hope this is not the case and encourage this council to listen to the community.

I encourage this council to not forsake the community for the simple rational of greed and money giving into developers to increase the density. I ask by doing this who does it benefit? It certainly does not benefit the residents in the area and it creates a DANGEROUS precedent for future developments. I imagine and hope that each council member wishes and seeks out each day to support the residents of Richmond Hill, that you do this honourably in all of your dealings, here is an opportunity to listen to your community. The community of Richmond Hill deserves leaders and a council that acts in good faith of its community, one that listens to its community and demonstrates this though it's day to day actions embodying trustworthiness and transparency. Say NO to unsupported excessive high density development!

Sincerely,

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