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Subject: Support for Compassion in Richmond Hill

Dear Richmond Hill Councillors,

This is a letter of support for the motion to have Richmond Hill become a recognized Compassionate City, affirming the Charter for Compassion, joining the over 100 other communities worldwide.

I regard this public declaration as one of the steps to being a compassionate community that truly cares for others, with compassion as a guiding principle for its governance.

A group of Richmond Hill residents have begun this journey http://compassionateyorkregion.ca It's the intention to have the other York Region municipalities affirm too, with Richmond Hill leading the way.

Thank you for your consideration,

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