

Hi,

I am unable to make this evening's meeting on the TOC motion, but I wanted to express my support for Councillor Haslett-Theall's motion. I am a lifelong resident of Oakville - I spent my childhood here, and am now raising my three children here (10, 11, and 13) with my wife, also a lifelong Oakville resident. We have grave concerns about TOC proposal, and believe it will have an enormously negative and permanent impact on the community.

I will not rehash all the reasons why it will be a disaster, but those with even the most glancing familiarity with Oakville will understand how destructive it will be. It will introduce density well beyond what the community can sustain, and will irreparably harm the community for generations to come.

It is a giveaway to developers, and a disaster for the community. It has been conducted in secrecy and backrooms, and is completely out of sync with what makes sense for our community. I am shocked and appalled that it has gone this far, but am confident that our Town Council, and our Mayor, will stand up for what is right for the community in developing a sustainable and livable midtown.

I am strongly in favour of the motion, and am steadfastly opposed to the TOC proposal. I hope and expect that our Town Council, and our Mayor, will do what's right for our community this evening.

Best,
Matthew Mundy