

**Distributed at the Planning and Development Council Meeting of November 23, 2020  
Re: Item 3 – Public Meeting Report - Town-initiated Official Plan Amendment - The  
North West Area and Palermo Village, Excluding the Hospital District (File No.  
42.24.23)**

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**From:** Tom Kareco

**Sent:** Monday, November 23, 2020 5:32 PM

**To:** Kathy Patrick <[kathy.patrick@oakville.ca](mailto:kathy.patrick@oakville.ca)>

**Cc:** Town Clerk <[TownClerk@oakville.ca](mailto:TownClerk@oakville.ca)>

**Subject:** Re: COVID-19 Nov 20 & Nov 23 P&D Meeting regarding Palermo & Hospital District Official Plan Amendment Meeting

Thank you Mr Patrick,

Obviously it is late for me to do the .ppt presentation, as I received your response only today and I obviously work to pay my bills and taxes and had no time to prepare a presentation for 6:30 pm meeting of today.

Anyway below are my two questions that if not answered during the meeting Town of Oakville has to be answered by e-mail. If I do not receive any answer we will go public and will involve ALL green organizations not limited to Extinction Rebellion until we get an answer and the problem is properly addressed.

- It is common knowledge that building an average **1 bedroom apartment** causes the emissions of 80 m/Tons of CO2. To offset these CO2 emissions **3670 trees** need to be planted by conscious developers.

1) **Do you as Town of Oakville have calculated the Carbon footprint of your new development? What is the number** in CO2 m/tons?

2) Do you as Town of Oakville have a plan on planting trees to TOTALLY offset the carbon footprint of the NEW proposed development to offset the POLLUTION not only for citizens of Oakville but for our planet? What is the number of trees??

Times of using bulldozers without calculating the crimes against the nature are finished in November 3, 2020.

Now is not any more business as usual

Kind regards,

Thoma Kareco

P.S. If not answered next e-mail Extinction Rebellion will be cc.