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**Subject:** HIGHWAY 413

Hello, my name is Leonela Mejia and I am a 16 year old high school student living in Brampton, Ontario and I'm writing to you today in order to oppose 413.

I am extremely opposed to highway 413 because of the environmental damage it is going to cause. It's going to cross river and water courses **85** times. The amount of pollution this will cause is extremely immense, it going to pollute our air, water, and overall environment. This highway is going to destroy **400 acres** of the Greenbelt and it's going to an increase in greenhouse gas emmurons into our earth. I will live to see the effects of this highway, and I don't want to live in a world with immense amounts of pollution. I want to be able to go outside with my friends in the future and go on walks. I don't want to live in a city with unclean air and water. The aftermath of this highway won't do any good, saving the environment is much more important than saving 30 seconds of driving on your way to work.

In addition, the highway is going to decrease land and house values all around Brampton and Mississauga. It'll make areas much nosier for everyone. This highway will also affect our farmers.

**We don't need this highway. Please consider my future and the long lasting affects.**

Regards,

Leonela Mejia