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As a resident of Peel in the Town of Caledon, I find it offensive that the Mayor of Brampton has taken this action at a time when and in particular the Town of Caledon has been most supportive of Brampton during this pandemic. To push thru this self serving agenda and not allow for proper community involvement from all areas of Peel is undermining the sense of community that Caledon has always showed to both Brampton and Mississauga. Caledon makes up almost 1/2 of the land mass for Peel - we continue to grow in the form of Residential, Industrial and Commercial. While Brampton may believe they require to additional seats it should not come at the expense of Caledon. The proper solution would be to defer this to true public consultation and regional assessment studies and impacts to all 3 communities. I don't believe the answer is to take away seats from anyone. The bylaw should be amended to add "additional" seats to the Region for the purpose of Brampton requiring more representation at the table and that Brampton apply for these extra seats not solely based on population but rather the growth plan for Brampton and how these seats will be of value to have them. I also find it offensive that Mayor Bonnie Crombie comes up with ridiculous self-serving amendments at the Region of Peel with the sole purpose of supporting Mississauga and failing to see the needs of all 3 communities as a whole. The Town of Caledon has always worked with the Region as a whole.
