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By E-Mail to minister.mto@ontario.ca

Honourable Caroline Mulroney  
Minister of Transportation  
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October 1, 2020  
REGION OF PEEL  
OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CLERK

**RE: GTA West Corridor  
Urban Boulevard Concept vs. Traditional Highway within Heritage Heights, City of Brampton**

Dear Minister Mulroney,

My wife, Shirley, and I have lived, raised our [REDACTED] children, and farmed at [REDACTED] Heritage Road, Brampton, since 1973. For over forty-seven years, this has been our home. We are also founding members of the Heritage Heights Landowners Group, and are heavily involved in the development process for North West Brampton. We recognize growth is inevitable, but want to ensure it is environmentally and financially viable.

**We write you to express our full support for the City of Brampton’s new vision for the Heritage Heights community.** The main guiding principle is a shift from a traditional 400-series highway to more of a boulevard/urban roadway through the City.

1. It better aligns with the overall vision of the Heritage Heights community;
2. The development, and jobs potential is 2 to 3 times that of the traditional GTA West Corridor;
3. The boulevard concept does not challenge the entire GTA West Corridor, it only affects the portion through the City of Brampton;
4. The boulevard can be implemented sooner vs. a 400-series highway (the Region of Peel and City of Brampton have both been collected DC revenue for a regional road);
5. In addition, there is also strong environmental advocacy group support, and the boulevard concept would produce less green house gas emissions;
6. There is strong landowner support for the boulevard concept;

I understand the Province has recently received correspondence from various logistics companies advocating for a full fledge highway. These positions are self serving, and do not reflect the sentiment

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of our local community. *We want what is best for Brampton and Ontario.* The future liveable, walkable Heritage Heights community should vastly outweigh that of the ability for a logistics company to zoom through our community, leaving nothing but fumes!

Kind Regards,



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