From: Julia Galt

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To: Regional Clerk < ClerkGeneralLine@york.ca>

Subject: Say NO to the GTA West Highway

Hello,

As someone who lives in York Region, I am demanding that you to oppose the Province's construction of the GTA West Highway at the upcoming York Regional Council meeting on February 11th. This highway will rip through our community with devastating impacts on our homes, our communities, our farmland, our wetlands, and will pave over many hectares of Greenbelt in Vaughan despite the Province's promises to protect it. It will also add more polluting cars and trucks to our roads and increase the region's greenhouse gas emissions.

York Regional Councillors voted to support the Province's GTA West Highway in December 2019, stating that "York Region supports the decision to resume the Greater Toronto Area West Transportation Corridor Environmental Assessment and requests that the highway be constructed as soon as possible." I am disgusted by York Region's response to such a detrimental, damaging, unneeded, unwanted, and, quite frankly, criminal undertaking.

I strongly urge you to oppose the GTA West Highway at the upcoming February 11th York Region Council meeting.

Regards,

Julia Galt Schomberg, Ontario King Township, York Region