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Subject: Item F.2 Updated Draft Regional Official Plan Reflecting October 21, 2021 Council Growth Management Direction

Dear Regional Councillors,

Paving over prime farmland is a serious issue, when it is possible to intensify at Jane and HWY 7 where there is a subway, two 400 series highways, a secondary highway, and busway. It is not whitebelt (buffer), but prime farmland that will only help developers and create more traffic issues. Putting aside that YORK REGION HAS ALMOST A 3 BILLION DOLLAR DEPT (depending on the various online sources that are consulted), it is not clear how they will pay for this.

Regional Councillors need to focus more on all York Region citizens and not only the landowners.

Best,

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