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FW: Ward Boundary Review Preferred Alignment

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KARA Comments (Nov 30 2016) RE Ward Boundary Review Preferred Alignment.doc

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From: David Brand [REDACTED]

Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2017 6:09 PM

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Attached is a copy of a letter that the Kleinburg and Area Ratepayers' Association sent to you on November 30th. It reiterates the points made when KARA members met twice with Ward Boundary Review consultants, especially that of not splitting the Kleinburg-Nashville Heritage Conservation District between two different wards.

The current version of the report has not responded to KARA's request to keep the District whole in a single ward. It is difficult to understand the consultant's inflexibility since to do so would not materially affect the numbers, and, in any case, the numbers are projections which may or may not turn out to be accurate depending on Council's approvals and the Province's requirements.

KARA remains strongly of the opinion that the Kleinburg-Nashville Heritage Conservation District should stay only in one ward.

Respectfully yours,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Kleinburg and
Area Ratepayers' Association,

David Brand
Director.

From: Kara-Inc [REDACTED]
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Please find attached comments on Vaughan Boundary Review preferred ward alignment.

Regards,
Kleinburg and Area Ratepayers' Association Board of Directors

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Email: [REDACTED] Website: www.kara-inc.ca

November 30, 2016

To:

Vaughan Mayor and members of Council
Clerk's Department
Policy Planning
Heritage Vaughan Committee members
Ward Boundary Review Consulting Team

RE: Vaughan Ward Boundary Review preferred alignment

KARA feels that the existing Ward 1 boundaries around Kleinburg and Nashville should be maintained in their present configuration.

- **Geographic Communities of Interest:** ward boundaries should reflect historic communities, such as Concord, Kleinburg, Maple, Thornhill and Woodbridge, as well as new communities like Carrville and Vellore.

Your goal of keeping historic communities together will not be achieved in Ward 1 with this proposed re-alignment. Remember the historic community is Kleinburg-Nashville. It is evident the proposed change to the Ward 1 boundary will sever the long established "Kleinburg-Nashville" Heritage Conservation District between Ward 1 and Ward 2.

Refer to:

https://www.vaughan.ca/projects/policy_planning_projects/Pages/Kleinburg-Nashville-Heritage-Conservation-District-Study-and-Plan.aspx

KARA feels strongly that we must keep the Kleinburg-Nashville Heritage Conservation District together (current ward alignment). As we understand it, Ward 1 would still be the least populous or at least similar to other less populated wards, and would be expected to remain that way until about 2022.

We also are having some difficulty in completely understanding how our communities are expected to grow, and where. This is especially an issue as development applications routinely have little regard for established population targets. On this matter there needs to be much greater clarity and without accurate numbers, a re-alignment of the Ward boundaries seems somewhat premature.

Regards,
Kleinburg & Area Ratepayers' Association Board of Directors.