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To: Kurt Franklin
Subject: FW: Vaughan Council Public Meeting on Feb 4th - request for support

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Subject: Re: Vaughan Council Public Meeting on Feb 4th - request for support

For many years Temple Har Zion and the Jaffari Islamic Centre lived side by side. We shared parking lots, sometimes had joint security and worked together to remove graffiti when this occurred. We had congregational programmes together and our women's groups and youth groups had joint some joint meetings. They were good neighbors and we showed that Muslims and Jews in Canada could work together to realize our shared Canadian values. Temple Har Zion and the Jaffari Centre were both very involved in Mosaic, our Thornhill interfaith organization. We were even written up in the Jerusalem Post as the only place in the world where a mosque and synagogue share territory (the parking lots). The article was called "Parking for Peace." Surely, there is a lesson in that for all of us.

Britto, John

From: Abrams, Jeffrey
Sent: Tuesday, February 04, 2014 4:44 PM
To: Britto, John
Subject: FW: Letter from Rabbi Stroh for Ja'ffari Community - Item 2 - 9000 Bathurst Street
Attachments: Rabbi Stroh Memo Feb 3 14.pdf

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Subject: Letter from Rabbi Stroh for Ja'ffari Community - Item 2 - 9000 Bathurst Street

Mr. Abrams

Attached please find a letter from Rabbi Stroh, a former neighbour of the Ja'ffari community at their previous site on Bathurst Street. It would be greatly appreciated if this letter could be circulated to the Mayor and Members of Council for tonight's meeting.

Thank you

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