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To Whom it May Concern,

My name is Adam Worth and I have lived at 115 Ner Israel Drive for the past 7+ years, which is only meters away from the proposed re-zoning and re-development area outlined in applications #OP.13.013 and # Z.13.03. As a father of 3 young children, I am adamantly opposed to the above mentioned applications and I am horrified as to the potential impact that the re-zoning and re-development will have on my family, community and environment.

The neighborhood and streets immediately surrounding the proposed zoning area is heavily traveled today. Traffic delays and road congestion are commonplace and are further exacerbated with the regular festivals held at the Jafari Villiage. The potential changes in zoning and development would add thousands of new residents to this area and a considerable amount of new vehicle on our roads at all hours of the day. Furthermore, parking is already problematic in the immediate area surrounding this area and the proposal will ultimately put more parked cars on the surrounding streets.

The size and scale of the proposed re-zoning and re-development will have an environmental impact on our community. The subject lands noted in the applications are filled with old-growth trees and home to wild-life. If the application is approved, this beautiful area will be changed forever and will increase the noise and light pollution levels generated not only from this massive development project, but the people who would live there afterwards.

The community of Thornhill Woods does not benefit from the above mentioned application whatsoever. Frankly, the tone of the application indicates that the development is purely for the benefit of "their" community, which I take offense to as a Canadian. There are numerous other concerns, including, the burned this project would further put on our infrastructure and schools, overcrowding and general safety, and the negative impact on the quality of life for the community.

I support the current zoning of these lands and completely oppose any further development and/or changes in zoning. I ask that the City of Vaughan denied this application outright and put an end to this application.

Yours truly,

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