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Hello,

My name is Shane Urowitz and I am the father of 3 young boys that live very close to the Lebovic Campus.

I wanted to convey my strong support for the minor variance applications A296/22 and A297/22. I recently was made aware of the notices and reviewed. I also reached out to a representative of the application who filled me on some of the details of the project.

I understand this arena is being built and donated with no cost to the city. I found that to be an amazing thing and a great way to give back to our community. My family loves skating and hockey and hearing that we will have an arena located very close to our house is something we are all excited about. I want this to be built and can see my family using this often. This will make Vaughan an even better place to live.

As a hockey parent, I often get frustrated with some of the long drives we have to take to get to other arenas within Vaughan and wonder why we don't have one in Ward 4.

The minor variance they are asking for seem small and are not going to impact my family, friends or neighbors. In fact, the plan for the park and greenspace looks even better than what it was previously. The fact we will have an arena this close to our house however will positively impact my family and that is something we can stand behind.

Please take this letter as my family's support for the variances they have asked for. I hope this is approved and the arena is built as soon as possible.

Regards,

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