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Hi Mr. Ainsworth and city staff,

I have been a resident of Thornhill Woods (TW) since 2015. I love this community. My two kids were born here in this community. I love walking with my kids on the quiet and welcoming streets in this neighborhood and telling them that this is the place where we can call home.

I have been a long opponent of the development of the Jaffari community to a high-rise high-density neighborhood, not only because of the concerns about traffic, infrastructure, parking, etc. I have already given up on complaining about the traffic at the Ner Israel/Bathurst intersection. I usually avoid using that intersection in the morning and evening rush hours. The traffic there is incredibly heavy.

More importantly, I am terrified of the idea that there will be a small closed community within our community. This is not align with the open, respectful, and embraced culture of TW. I never dared to enter into the Jaffari community, especially after once a driver from that community yielded to me that this was not a public land. I hope I am the only one who has this concern and all others have peace of mind that they are welcome everywhere within the community.

Thanks for reading my email. Hope you have a good day.

Best,
Lucy