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Hello Mayor Del Duca and his reading representative,

Thank you so much for sending this proposal and by-law to me. I shall read it. I'm moved that you've taken the time to put your money or legal political power where your mouth is, unlike other politicians. Last night I saw a horrible video that occurred after the UJA Walk. It was of a posse of Pro-Hamas Anti-Jewish protesters that surrounded and invaded a local Jewish neighbourhood on Hove St. off of Bathurst St north of Sheppard. I know it's not your hood or area but my point is that they went around verbally getting into whom they thought to be Jewish people's faces calling them baby killers and home stealers. They harassed elderly, handicapped and women, and one who is fuller figured and humiliated her in front of many of their followers. I saw the Toronto Bike police doing nothing on this side street. I don't know what would have happened if I was surrounded by them. I know one thing, and that is, it's not safe anywhere in the world let alone Toronto, to be Jewish anymore. And that's because no one stopped them. YOU are doing something to stop or reduce their boundaries at the very least and that's something powerful. I know it's not the mayor reading this email by the way but whomever is, let it be known, I can be hurt, I bleed, I can be pushed and stumble I can be stabbed and shot but I will never be forced on a train to anywhere that isn't of my choosing. Not willingly. Thank you for trying to help the remaining offspring of Jewish people who are the survivors of those who can no longer speak up. PS: These laws you have attempted to enact makes me want to move to Vaughan. I live on Eglinton Ave. West near Spadina. I live in a once restricted apartment building where no Jews were allowed back in the 30's-60's.

Best regards,

Marla Lukofsky
Comedian/Keynote Speaker/Writer/Actor

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On Tuesday, June 11, 2024 at 01:26:17 p.m. EDT, mayor@vaughan.ca <mayor@vaughan.ca> wrote:

Good afternoon,

Thank you for previously contacting the Mayor's Office regarding your concerns about community safety.

We are happy to provide you with this important update.

During the May 22, 2024 Council meeting, Vaughan Council unanimously passed Mayor Del Duca's [Member's Resolution](#), which directs City staff to develop a by-law aimed at protecting Vaughan's places of worship, schools, childcare facilities, and hospital from protests that intimidate, or incite hatred, intolerance, and violence.

I am pleased to inform you that City staff have since developed the proposed by-law, which will be presented to City Council at the Committee of the Whole meeting scheduled for June 18th, 2024.

To read the proposed by-law, [click here](#).

It would be very helpful if you would please consider sharing your opinion regarding this initiative with all Members of Council and our City Clerk.

To submit a written communication on the proposed by-law, please send an email to clerks@vaughan.ca and council@vaughan.ca. The deadline for submitting written communications is noon on June 17th, 2024.

If you'd like to make a deputation (which can be done in person or virtually) regarding the proposed by-law at the Committee of the Whole meeting, you can do so by pre-registering by completing the [online form here](#) or calling Service Vaughan at 905-832-2281. Deadline to register for a deputation is noon on June 17th, 2024.

Please let us know if you have any questions or require any additional information.

Thank you for your attention and participation in making Vaughan a safer, more inclusive community.

Best regards,

Office the Mayor, Steven Del Duca

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To Mayor Deluca or whomever is reading this,

I stopped coming into your area, an area i once lived in and enjoyed.

I stopped because I did not feel safe from the constant aggressive protesters that never seem to end. There is no limit to what they can do to harm people and threaten people and shout and name call people. And why? Because No one stops them.

In Toronto proper it's a nightmare. They attack private neighbourhoods and Mt. Sinai Hospital without threat by the Mayor Chow nor the Premiere nor the Prime Minister.

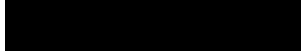
I choose not to leave my home for too long and just go to local drugstores and food stores. I no longer go downtown. I never thought I had to live this way in my lifetime. The middle east battle doesn't even involve Vaughan or Toronto. This has become an insane situation of the 1930's repeating itself. The end result is that

It's just not safe for a Jewish person to live in North America.

But reading today of what you said and did and what your committee voted for, to stand up to this Occupation, is remarkable. All i can say is bless you and your family.

Thank you.

Marla Lukofsky



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