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Honorable Councillors,

Please hear my voice, on behalf of my family, that we ask you to vote for this Bylaw to Restrict Protests to beyond 100 metres from Schools, hospitals and places of worship.

Twice in the past several months a large group of people set up loud speakers in front of 2 different synagogues in my general area. During that time, for hours, they chanted antisemitic slurs, and generally hateful comments, while banging on drums. This could be heard from my house which is a 15 and 30 minute walk away from each of those locations.

On other occasions my child's school had to close early due to the anticipation of more protests happening in the area, not to mention the increased need for police and security at our religious schools.

While I personally don't believe that simply forbidding such protests within 100 meters of the said types of locations is enough to actually deal with this problem, it's the least we can do as a city.

Please, we hope to see your vote in favour of this Bylaw, and, beyond that, we hope to see a full stop to such hateful activity at all.

As a resident of Vaughan, respectfully,

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