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Dear Councillors and City Clerk, I am writing to you as a resident of the City of Vaughan residing in Kleinburg.

I am asking you to support Councillor lafrate and DeFrancesca's resolution which is asking all Councillors to support the Premier's Feasibility Study to buy back the lease on Hwy 407 which the Premier has publicly acknowledged. More importantly, the resolution is asking the province to implement a one year pilot program that will subsidize or eliminate tolls on Highway 407 and evaluate the impact of the pilot on traffic congestion and efficiency.

This pilot will provide commercial vehicles with **immediate** low/no cost access to the underused Highway 407 and reduce the level commercial vehicles and overall vehicle volume on Hwy 7, Steeles, Langstaff, Rutherford and Major Mackenzie Drive and will allow the Province to assess the impact on congestion resulting from the reduction or elimination of the tolls on commercial vehicles.

In summary, I am asking each of my City Councillors to support resolution 6-15, Endorsement of Feasibility Study for Highway 407 put forward by Councillors lafrate and DeFrancesca.

Thank you for your support.

Tony Malfara

