
Attachment 1

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Rt. Hon Justin Trudeau
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Dear Prime Minister Trudeau:

I am writing today regarding an issue of great importance to the residents of Vaughan.

Our community has always been a safe place in which to live, work and raise a family. We are fortunate to have exceptional community safety partners like the women and men of the York Regional Police service who work hard every single day to help preserve and enhance our quality of life.

However, like many other municipalities in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area, we are faced with increasingly sophisticated and dangerous criminals who are committing more brazen crimes, from gun violence to home break-ins and auto thefts.

All levels of government have a responsibility to work together to ensure that the people we represent can be safe and secure as they live their lives.

To that end, I can confirm that I fully support the recent call made by Canada's Premiers and Territorial Leaders for your government to urgently modernize Canada's bail system so as to ensure that dangerous offenders are kept off our streets. As you know, this request was also made by way of a motion adopted by Ontario's Big City Mayors in February 2022.

It is imperative that your government move on this without delay. Please be assured that I am prepared to work with you and all other partners to make sure this is dealt with as soon as possible.

Regards,



Steven Del Duca
Mayor