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**Subject:** [External] Item 21 of June 16, 2020 Meeting - Cost Overruns for Kirby Road Extension Class

EA Study

Dear Mayor Bevilacqua and Members of Vaughan City Council,

I am a resident of the City of Vaughan and was made aware of an Environment Assessment for the Kirby Road extension through the Rizmi Holdings lands.

I understand that there was an agreement in 2016 to reimburse Rizmi Holdings \$325,000 to perform this self-assessment. While this seems to be a conflict of interest in itself, I was also made aware that Council are now considering increasing the original reimbursement amount by \$875,000 for a total re-imbursement of \$1.2M!

Not only is the handling of this matter irresponsible behaviour of elected officials but also wrong on so many levels and should be consider criminal in nature.

Where is the accountability on this matter? How is council not questioning this? How can council allow something like this happen?

Please let me know the reasoning behind such a move and how we can have an open debate on this subject prior to something like this being agreed to.

Best Regards,

Gerry Iuliano

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