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Good Morning Councillor Iafrate, I wish to voice my objection to this proposed project wanting to be build on City Park Lands.

I have no problem with the project itself, I would have no issue with it being build on private property, but I do have great concerns that this group of developers want to build it on City Owned Property, Parkland. Vaughan needs MORE PARKLAND not less.

Berkeley Academy held a meeting with no City representation and especially NO CITY COUNCILLORS being present. They alluded that they had a right under some special bylaw that allows them to expand their project. They also said that they had meetings with the City of Vaughan and that they are negotiating to buy the land for \$1,000.000.00 per acre, Councillor Iafrate there is NO WAY that the City Should be Selling Parkland to a Private Developer, the \$1,000.000.00 per acre, if the City Did sold the land for that price it would be giving it away almost for free, what is going on here, please tell me.

Councillor Iafrate, how can the City of Vaughan even entertain the idea of selling precious PARKLAND to a PRIVATE DEVELOPER so the developer can make profit from it, this must not happen. I would like to know who this group of people have been talking to at the City of Vaughan.

We as a group will be attending the meeting June 6th, at 1.00pm to voice our strongest objection to this proposal.

Sincerely

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