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**Subject:** [External] Toronto Star Editorial: Highway 413 is dying a slow death.

Dear Vaughan Council,

Just read the Toronto Star (March 7th) Editorial on Highway 413. The link is below.

Thank you Vaughan councillors for voting to pull your support for this destructive and unnecessary highway. You showed political will and leadership.

Much appreciation for protecting our environment, preventing further residential sprawl and helping to decrease our dependence on cars. You sent a strong message to the provincial government that the residents of Vaughan care about their city, and that taxpayers' dollars must not be spent on building the GTA West Highway 413.

As stated in the Toronto Star, "There are better ways to address the region's transportation needs — and far better ways to spur the post-pandemic economy than building this highway."

[https://www.thestar.com/opinion/editorials/2021/03/07/gta-west-highway-is-dying-a-slow-death-ford-government-should-put-it-out-of-its-misery.html?fbclid=IwAR0iFh1m2jAvSqFLCcm5OL7Nt8aJqotGIZFW0m-sn\\_PdmHdO4nowejcB7DY](https://www.thestar.com/opinion/editorials/2021/03/07/gta-west-highway-is-dying-a-slow-death-ford-government-should-put-it-out-of-its-misery.html?fbclid=IwAR0iFh1m2jAvSqFLCcm5OL7Nt8aJqotGIZFW0m-sn_PdmHdO4nowejcB7DY)

Much appreciation,  
Angela Grella