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Sent: Monday, March 08, 2021 8:15 AM **To:** Clerks@vaughan.ca; Council@vaughan.ca

Subject: [External] Stop 413

Dear Vaughan Council,

As a responsible citizen deeply concerned about climate change and climate justice, and thus the impact our decisions as a whole has on all of our relations for generations to come matters. I ask that you be responsible and oppose the proposed HWY 413.

It's time for courage to change how we accommodate human population growth, movement and consumption. The HWY 413 quite simply is a plan that shoves us all, but in particular, the future, directly into the path of irreparable harm.

Environmental impacts have no borders. Climate change has no borders, climate justice has no borders. Money can be better spent on developing world class, equitable, affordable public transport in this province, opening up the 407 (an empty highway), to goods transport, responsible affordable housing for all. And so many other services that looks towards the future.

These things are hard, but we can do hard things. It is our job to do hard things.

Sincerely,
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