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Transmitted VIA EMAIL ONLY

March 5, 2015

Attention:

Ms. Dawn McAlpine

City Clerk

The Corporation of the City of Barrie 70 Collier Street, Po Box 400 Barrie, Ontario L4M 4T5

RE:

COMMENT LETTER

Proposed Zoning By-Law Amendment

534, 536, 540 Essa Road and part of 8 Boag Court

Ardagh Planning Area, City of Barrie

File: D14-1583

Dear Dawn McAipine,

The Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board has received your notice regarding the above Zoning By-law Amendment anticipating 55 cluster townhouses.

For your information, any pupils that are generated by this development are within the current catchment area for St. Bernadette Catholic elementary school and St. Joan of Arc Catholic high school both located within the City of Barrie. St. Bernadette has a Ministry Rated Capacity of 536 pupils, and a current enrolment of 377 pupils.

The Board will provide our conditions of draft plan approval if a draft plan of subdivision process is required.

The Board would be interested in finding out how the development will be marketed to the public and what demographic of the population the developer is anticipating.

Please advise the Board of the ongoing status of this proposal, and of any changes which may affect the number of proposed units. I trust that the above comments are satisfactory at this time. We want to confirm our continued interest, and involvement in this development application. If you have any questions or comments about the Board's response, please feel free to contact me the undersigned at 705-722-3559 ext. 250.

Sincerely,

Kristin D. Pechkovsky, &ES MCIP RPP

Planning Officer

Support for the project

Mayor Jeff Lehman 70 Collier Street, Box 400 Barrie, ON L4M 4T5 Phone: (705) 792-7900

Fax: (705) 739-4265

RE: Proposed condo development on 540-536-534 Essa RD., Barrie, ON File # D14A-0011

Support for the project was expressed by the following members of the local community. Please find attached copy of additional 13 signed support letters.

*Note: Petition was submitted to the Legislative and Court Services Department on March 17, 2015 with 13 signed letters.

Support Letter

Mayor Jeff Lehman
70 Collier Street, Box 400
Barrie, ON L4M 4T5
Phone: (705) 792-7900
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RE: Proposed Urban Townhouse development on 540-536-534 Essa RD.,
Barrie, ON

I am writing to voice my support for the New Townhouse Project on Essa Rd. I think it is a great idea to replace old run down houses along Essa Road with modern urban looking building, which will create fresh urban look for the city of Barrie.

I am looking forward for new infrastructure, new buildings and businesses in Barrie.

Sincerely,

Date:

Address: