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Mayor William F. Bell
Town of Richmond Hill
P.O. Box 300,
225 East Beaver Creek Rd.,
Richmond Hill, ON L4C 4Y5

RICHMOND HILL
MAYOR'S OFFICE

Dear Mayor Bell,

The York Centre's Expansion/Consolidation Plan is progressing well, enhanced by the additional energy and confidence provided by the very generous grant from the Town of Richmond Hill's Community Enhancement and Economic Vitality Fund.

In the planning process we have encountered an issue with which we are seeking your assistance as Chairperson of the York Region Transportation Committee. In meeting with the Richmond Hill Planning Department we learned that under the North Leslie Secondary Plan, a future road would run across, or near, the south end of our property. This would make our present entrances too close to the future intersection. We have been informed that we would have to relocate our entrance further north and to construct a "slide-by" on Leslie Street and make improvements, (i.e. lighting) to the entrance.

The estimated cost of this "slide-by" is \$100,000 to \$125,000. The York Centre's Expansion/Consolidation Committee is requesting a meeting with you to discuss the possibility of the cost for the "slide-by" being assumed by the Region of York. If you could accommodate us, the Expansion/Consolidation Committee would be available on any of the following dates: week of August 23 - 26
between September 6 - 13

We thank you for your consideration of our request and for your generous support of The York Centre.

Yours truly,

Noreen Lee,
Chair, Board of Directors

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