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**From:** Robert <  
**Sent:** January 12, 2019 10:54 PM  
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**Subject:** FW: Letter to the City Clerk -- re Auchmar

I believe that the city must move forward and support the staff report that recommends that the City of Hamilton's planning and economic development department be directed to come up with a plan for the "adaptive reuse" of the Auchmar Estate site. Since council has already gone through numerous options, trying to find a third party would only perpetuate the uncertainty. It was approved by council in 2016 "that in the event no lessee or management and operations interest can be secured after a period of one year, Planning & Economic Development Department staff should be directed to report to the General Issues Committee with a work plan for the adaptive reuse of the Auchmar Estate."",

Robert Williamson, Friends of Auchmar, Executive Hamilton Mountain Heritage Society.

On Wed, Jan 9, 2019 at 5:55 PM Danko, John-Paul <[John-Paul.Danko@hamilton.ca](mailto:John-Paul.Danko@hamilton.ca)> wrote:

Please be aware that staff intends to develop a work plan for the adaptive reuse of Auchmar and report back to GIC, based on the original direction of council in 2016. Friends of Auchmar may want to send in a correspondence through the clerk ([clerk@hamilton.ca](mailto:clerk@hamilton.ca)).

Best regards, **John-Paul Danko**, Councillor Ward 8, West Central Mountain

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