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Subject: 1269 Moahwk rd-Confirm signatures and your views

Hi,

As you know our Goal is to make our city ready for the future and attractive.

But

I am sorry to bother you but I have never had such an issue in the past as I do here.

As you all know, we had our plans for 1269 Mohawk Rd W presented to the Planning Committee today which was represented in public domain. All the good things on this project are for the community and 100% supported by City Staff, majority of residents and the Ward Councillor, Terry Whitehead.

In place of Councillor Terry Whitehead (who is on sick leave), Councillor's Lloyd Ferguson and Tom Jackson took oath at Council that they would represent Councillor Whitehead's interests on his behalf until he returns to work. They made the commitment to work with the Ward 14 office on an as needed basis to continue the work of Councillor Whitehead while he is away. On this confirmation, me and my team trusted them to do so.

In this circumstance it was Councillor Ferguson, who as a member of the Planning Committee was entrusted to represent Councillor Whitehead's interests. Unfortunately, Councillor Ferguson raised his own issues with our project despite the clear direction and clarification provided to him from Councillor Whitehead's office. In essence, Councillor Ferguson acted in opposition to the wishes of Councillor Whitehead.

Councillor Ferguson questioned the authenticity of your comments and signatures that you so graciously submitted in support of our project at 1269 Mohawk Rd W.

My request is this:

I request each of you to please reply back with confirmation of your views (**feel free to ADD any suggestions or relevant idea**) and if these signatures are genuine (signed papers are attached for your review). I am asking that you **please provide your response by the morning of Thursday July 8th** as we will need to submit your confirmation emails to the city clerk for the Council meeting this Friday July 9th.

RajeeV Sharma