From: Andrea A Sent: Friday, May 13, 2022 8:07 PM To: <u>clerk@hamilton.ca</u> Subject: GRIDS 2/MCR Plan Comments

Good evening,

I am writing to advise that I strongly oppose the expansion of Hamilton's urban boundary. Given the recognized climate crisis among the global scientific community, urban boundary expansion, and urban sprawl, by extension are dangerous developments that encroach on the protection of our farmlands. We need to preserve climate resilient, inclusive urban neighborhoods now more than ever, which is why freezing Hamilton's urban boundary is of paramount importance. I am submitting these comments ahead of the Public Meeting on the GRIDS 2 and Municipal Comprehensive Review on Tuesday, so that my voice can be heard alongside those of my fellow Hamiltonians.

Thank you,

Andrea