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Subject: City Council Feb. 28th, 2024: Affordable Housing in Stoney Creek

This letter is written to express my disappointment that 8 councillors failed to support affordable housing in favour of parking spaces. For shame. I acknowledge that there are many competing priorities in a city as large and complex as Hamilton. Increased housing options, improved transportation, additional green spaces, improved accessibility, traffic calming all need attention but paved parking spaces do not. When the issue comes to Council on February 28 I am expecting overwhelming support for affordable housing proposals, not votes for pavement.

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