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Good day all:

My name is Rick Johnson and I reside in Ward 11. I am emailing you to request that this letter be added to the December 3, 2024 Planning Committee meeting agenda respecting any motion put forward by any City Councillor with respect to the building of Additional Dwelling units within the City of Hamilton. I am 100% opposed to any motion from any member of City Council to stop the construction of Additional Dwelling Units (ADUs) in existing backyards and above existing garages. As the City of Hamilton has already approved many ADUs to date and if we are to hold firm to our City commitment to a firm urban boundary, we need to remain united as a Hamilton City government on this matter. For all of the reasons that we as a City have opposed the urban sprawl proposed by the current provincial government and held steadfast to our unified commitment to this firm urban boundary, Council must oppose any motion to compromise our commitment. As a resident of Hamilton, I firmly support helping people to live affordably within our existing City boundary. Please vote NO to any motion which does not support ADU construction. Thank you for your kind attention.

Sincerely,

**Rick Johnson**