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**Subject:** Thanks re vote not to remove trees on an Ancaster development site.

From: Anne Washington

Sent: Sunday, May 4, 2025 4:42 PM

To: <mailto:clerk@hamilton.ca>

Subject: Thanks re vote not to remove trees on an Ancaster development site.

Dear Mayor and Members of Council,

I felt a great sense of relief and delight learning that a majority of you councillors voted not to approve the destruction of six hundred and eighty three trees on a site in Ancaster in order to build seventeen luxury homes. Thank you

You would have discovered in your own research on the topic and from input from many other citizens, the tremendous value of those trees to us, wildlife and to our heritage, so there is no need for me to reiterate the valid and overwhelming reasons to vote no.

It is likely that the developer will appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal to have this overturned, so I urge the City of Hamilton to do all that it can to assure that yet other piece of needed diminishing nature is not destroyed by chain saws and bulldozers.

Sincerely,

Anne Washington