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**Subject:** written delegation for GRIDS2 / MCR meeting May 17, 2022

Good afternoon,

Please accept this as my written delegation for the GRIDS2 statutory public meeting on May 17, 2022 to be attached to the agenda for the public record.

Thank you

Nancy Hurst

Hamilton

May 13, 2022

Dear Committee Members and Staff,

Please accept this letter as my vote in support of Hamilton's firm urban boundary. I believe this will be such a positive step forward for our city, to help us create walkable neighbourhoods, to build affordable housing within existing neighbourhoods, to help mitigate climate change, to build up the density needed to support great public transit and to of course preserve our whitebelt farmland from further urban sprawl.

Thank you to Staff who were totally thrown a curve ball but who came through with shining colours with this excellent plan for our city.

Thank you to Council members who voted for a bold new vision of inclusion and climate reliance for our beloved Hamilton.

It's my fervent hope that we, as a city, will defend our local decision against larger forces at play whose aim it is to break us. Steeltown has been forged from our trials and woe betide the man who tries to make steel bend.

Kind regards  
Nancy Hurst  
Hamilton