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Dear Reader

On behalf of Above & Beyond, it is my pleasure to write this letter in support of the Mohawk Sports Project.

I have been a committee member since the beginning because true inclusion and belonging are rooted in the ability to be present, and I believe in the fabric of everything that's been completed to this day that this message has been a mainstay, loud and clear. The attention to detail has been visible throughout and ensuring a place and space where voices are not only heard but listened to has been throughout.

I believe that accessibility and inclusion should be foundational in everything we do in Hamilton. As 35% of Hamilton's population aged 15 and over has at least one disability, Kevin Gonci and his efforts have exceeded universal design, which should be the norm, and I applaud these efforts. Exceeding requirements, codes, and compliance has been the mindset of everyone from the beginning.

A park of this magnitude is critical from various viewpoints, satisfying the aging population's needs, to people with disabilities, to athletes, and most importantly, the community at large. Recreation shouldn't come with a caveat but should evolve seamlessly and naturally.

While not a checkbox, the needs of the disability community are exceeded by way of Mohawk Sports Park and this ongoing project, and I fully support Kevin and the Mohawk Sports Park Project endlessly

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