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I'm writing today to urge you to continue to vote NO to each and every urban boundary expansion application by land speculators seeking to build on critical farmland.

Only 5% of Canada's landmass is Class 1-3 soils, suitable for growing crops. It's crucial we protect these lands. With changes in climate we need to ensure we're protecting and supporting our agriculture industry. Even more so, with the looming presence of tariffs, it's imperative that we're able to grow our own crops to prevent rising food prices and protect access to local crops for community members.

I urge you to vote NO to this urban boundary expansion application and continue to do so to protect the future of this community and prevent even more food scarcity.

Warm thoughts,
Sarah Jenner