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To: clerk@hamilton.ca

Subject: Stoney Creek Arena closure

Im writing this email as a dedicated member of the Stoney creek community, and a passionate hockey fan. Since the start of the Stoney Creek Tigers inaugural season began, the Stoney Creek Arena has become a home for my family every weekend. Our fan base is fierce and passionate like our community has always been. The Tigers have earned the right to call this rink home. They have proved to this community that they are an elite force on the ice and off the ice. They have brought this community together by filling the stands, supporting local causes and putting this town on the map as a hockey powerhouse. Taking away this ice could damage the future of this team and its fan base. Please, I consider you all to reconsider. In the coming years, this team and this rink can prove to be a successful part of this city and I have no doubt its fan base will continue to grow. This community deserves this arena. Please find another way.

-Nick Diorio, East Stoney creek resident and dedicated Stoney Creek Tigers fan.