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**Subject:** OBJECTION!!!

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Hello,

My name is Ashlee Taylor and I am resident of Ancaster . I am writing you to object the proposal in place for 392, 398, 400, 406, 412 Wilson Street east and academy.

The proposed building will not enhance the downtown core. In fact, it will make it a less desirable place to be. The downtown has lovely welcoming and historic feel which this build does not enhance or embrace. Our downtown core has a three-story limit as means to uphold the desire to maintain the feel of the downtown and this building is blatantly disregarding this. This is just a greedy builder trying to make the most money they can. We pay insane money to be a member of the Hamilton community. We moved to Ancaster because it still has a small town feel. It is a good place to raise a family. This is being destroyed by overdevelopment and distasteful development. The current infrastructure cannot take the growth that the city is forcing upon it. Getting through Ancaster is difficult on a normal morning. If there is a closure on the highway it is next to impossible because Wilson is the main throughway. If you keep over developing on Wilson the roads will not be able to handle it. This project will have a negative impact on the downtown during construction and after. It is not going to move Ancaster in a positive direction. I understand that development must happen but even you must be able to see that this proposed project is not right. Sadly, if the city allows this it will affect people's desire to live in Ancaster which will affect who you have moving here. Think about that, this is one of your highest tax paying communities. Treat it with some respect.

Ashlee