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From: Tari, Alida

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To: Bavington, Kitty

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Dear Mayor Cousens and Councilor Daurio,

As a resident of Old Thornhill I feel it is my duty to express my opinion regarding the discussion of higher density developments in the Thornhill Village. It is my understanding that a final decision will be made tonight and as I unable to attend in person I have take the liberty to contact you direct via email.

Council has a unique opportunity <u>now</u> to preserve this exceptional stretch of Yonge Street and make an immense difference to not only the long term preservation of the Thornhill Village but to the current residents and the community at large. By taking a stand on limiting the height of any new construction to no more than 3 stories you have the power to safeguard the current property value of long time (and future) residents. Your vote will also add value and improve the neighbourhood to become an example of historical reservation which will ultimately establish this stretch on Yonge Street as a sought after destination for retailers and not necessarily high density residents.

As a recent resident who is dedicated to making Thornhill and more importantly John Street my long term residence I'm urging for your support in voting for a limitation of the height of any new construction to 3 stories.

Your time and consideration is much appreciated.

Kind Regards,

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