

**Hau, Lucy**

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**From:** Birrell, Sheila  
**Sent:** Monday, May 08, 2006 5:24 PM  
**To:** 'Eric Casper'  
**Cc:** Hau, Lucy; Kitteringham, Kimberley  
**Subject:** RE: VERY DISAPPOINTED THAT PESTICIDE BY-LAW WAS REJECTED

Thank you for your communication. I will ensure this is included on the May 23<sup>rd</sup> Council agenda.  
Sheila

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Eric Casper [mailto:eric.casper@rogers.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, May 08, 2006 1:45 PM  
**To:** sbirrell@city.markham.on.ca  
**Subject:** VERY DISAPPOINTED THAT PESTICIDE BY-LAW WAS REJECTED

Your Worship the mayor and councilors

I really thought that this summer we could breath freely, take our dogs for long walks and not have to worry about whose lawn and sidewalk has been sprayed with those dreaded pesticides, that the lawn companies insist on using. Yet once again our councilors HAVE LET US DOWN. I just don't understand the lack of concern for our environment. I have to wonder why the by-law was rejected?????? Certainly leaves a huge question mark in those whose minds loath pesticides as much as I do.

Recently I was made aware of parking issues, in our area, the size of driveways. I honestly have to laugh at this. While we poison our water systems, kill off wild life and cause cancer to poor unsuspecting animals and humans. But parking issues is what council seems to be most concerned with!!!!

Since this is an election year I am hoping that there will be people who are worthy of the vote, people WHO CARE ABOUT OTHER PEOPLE, it would be wonderful to at last have faith in those that we vote for.

Yours sincerely  
Avril Casper

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