Hello,

I am writing to express my deep concern with your intent to re-zone The Black Pearl Inn on Fanshawe Park Road to a hub for the homeless and the articles that make reference to both drug addiction and mental health issues/illness.

I am concerned that as a resident of this neighbourhood who pays an exorbitant amount in property taxes, I was never contacted or made aware of this plan and found out through news articles and close acquaintances.

As a resident of this neighbourhood I would like to express my strong opposition to this re-zoning and plan to locate this hub in the area. I am a mother to two very young children and their safety and security is my number one priority. My husband and I have worked very hard to purchase a safe and secure home in this area for our family. We pay a very high amount in property taxes and this should hold value in this decision. There are many schools and young children that live in this neighbourhood and their safety should be your top priority before making this decision.

A very concerned resident, Stephanie Da Silva