Hi Corrine,

My name is George Dale and I reside on Eagletrace Drive, the street that will be immediately backing on to the proposed new shelter to be put in place. Obviously it is important to help the homeless community in our city, but this proposed location appears to me to be entirely unreasonable. Not only because of the possible increase in crime in the surrounding area and homes, but it would remove the houseless people from all of the resources that they so desperately require. There is limited public transportation to and from this location, there are no hospitals or other social services i.e. soup kitchens etc. anywhere near there. All other proposed locations are within hospitals or institutes or near to social services provided in the core of the city, to put this one right on the edge of a suburban neighbourhood northwest of the city simply makes no sense for either the houseless people or the residents of that neighbourhood. I'd hope you would do everything in your power to prevent this from coming to fruition.

Thank you for your time,

George Dale

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