Committee: **EEPAC**

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: Lisa Bildy

Address:



Occupation: Former trial lawyer, now homeschooling parent.

Work experience: After completing law school, I worked for a small litigation firm for about 7 years, specializing primarily in family law and personal injury. For the last 7 years I have been homeschooling my two children while doing contract legal work from home. Education: I have a B.A. (Hons.) in Political Science, and LL.B., both from Western. I am a member of the Law Society of Upper Canada, currently with a non-practicing status. Skills: I have excellent writing and advocacy skills. I can understand and interpret complex materials, including legislation. Although I am not a biologist, I have an interest in nature generally. I attend many events with Nature London and the Ontario Field Ornithologists with my son, who is an avid birder.

Interest reason: Having been involved as a community leader, seeking to preserve the city's natural heritage along the Medway Creek (specifically, the proposed 161 Windermere development), I have become aware of the importance of EEPAC to these goals, and would like to continue my efforts as a member of the committee.

Contributions: I have a passion for nature, and skills which would enable me to quickly grasp issues, focus discussions and present compelling opinions to the Planning and Environment Committee.

Past contributions: I have been the president of our homeschooling co-operative, a member of the board of Big Brothers of London, and have held various executive positions dating back to university. I have not been directly involved in any city committees previously. Interpersonal: My most recent work as a community leader against the aforementioned development is an example of working with experts in other areas, deferring where appropriate and taking the lead when necessary.

Interview interest: Yes