

**SoHo Community Association
225 Burwell Street South
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City of London
Planning & Environment Committee
300 Dufferin Street
London, ON N6A 4L9

Attention: Councillor Steve Turner, Chair

Councillor Turner:

The SoHo Community Association wishes to express our support for the establishment of a Safe Consumption Site in our neighbourhood. We are grateful to the Middlesex London Health Unit and the London Middlesex Public Housing Department for their efforts in bringing this to 241 Simcoe Street.

We understand that the choice of this location has caused major concerns for residents of our neighbourhood, both within the building itself, and in the immediate vicinity. After careful consideration of the evidence gathered over many years around the world, and most recently in Vancouver, where such a facility already exists, we are confident that this location is optimal.

I would like to thank the committee for their consideration.

Sincerely,



Angela Lukach, President

cc. Councillor Anna Hopkins
Councillor Jesse Helmer
Councillor Maureen Cassidy
Councillor Tanya Park
Cathy Saunders, City Clerk