350 Wharncliffe Road North London, Ontario N6G 1E6

November 12th, 2012

City of London Planning Division P.O. Box 5035 London, Ontario N6A 4L9 Attn: Chuck Parker

Dear Mr Parker,

As a resident of Wharncliffe Road North for over fifty years, I do not support the proposed re-zoning of my property as outlined in the Beaufort/ Irwin/ Gunn/ Saunby/ Essex ("BIGS") Neighbourhood Area Study. Although the consultant team has compiled a particular vision for the area, I do not believe that vision reflects the changing needs of my neighbourhood and the study does not provide adequate guidelines to respond to development pressure experienced by my neighbourhood.

The BIGS Neighbourhood Area Study did not adequately address the unique concerns of Wharncliffe Road North. Unlike other urban villages, such as Wortley or Byron, this part of Wharncliffe Road North was not a historic settlement. The original farmhouse for this area is located down the street. As a suburban area, the "village" concept is out of touch with the land use pattern and existing built form. With ever increasing development pressure in my neighbourhood, more dense development options, such as apartment blocks, stacked townhouses, and mixed-use developments, should be more thoroughly considered.

Sincerely.

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