

# EX10.12.8

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**To:** [Executive Committee](#)  
**Subject:** My comments for 2015.EX10.12 on December 1, 2015 Executive Committee From Scarborough Residents Unite Neighborhood Assoc  
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To the City Clerk:

Please add my comments to the agenda for the December 1, 2015 Executive Committee meeting on item 2015.EX10.12, Acquisition of 3306 Kingston Road

I understand that my comments and the personal information in this email will form part of the public record and that my name will be listed as a correspondent on agendas and minutes of City Council or its committees. Also, I understand that agendas and minutes are posted online and my name may be indexed by search engines like Google.

Comments:

Congratulations on a very productive start in housing the seniors and relocating the Shelter. Thank you for taking interest in Scarborough Village as the new location. Although we understand the urgency of this decision, residents of Scarborough Village have not had an opportunity to be part of this important decision making process

As president of Scarborough Residents Unite Neighborhood Association, the only collective representative of our residents voice. I am requesting that this decision is deferred to arrange similar input from residents in an engagement opportunity, community consultation to meet and connect with our residents here in Scarborough Village. Most of our residents and the neighborhood association were not made unaware until a few days ago

Scarborough Village Residents Unite Neighborhood Association created by residents for residents and operates as an umbrella group for all other focus groups ie Bengali association, Tamil association, South Asian seniors, Afghan Association. African Canadian Social Club and all other residents. Our membership includes all ages, all ethnicities, all genders.

We represent Over 23 high rise buildings ,5 TCHC buildings,6 churches, 1 mosque.

And host many positive events in our community, for example..

Youth opportunity fair where youth receive scholarship and job fair

information. Mother Day Makeover for Single Mothers partnering with businesses in the area, Black History Awards, last year MPP Hunter, Toronto Raptors, our Police officers, Dr Roz Healing Place received awards. We also partner with the churches to host our Back to School BBQ. Our Scarborough Village community festival has attracted over 5000 residents.

Since Scarborough Village Residents are mostly unaware of the Shelter relocation. We are strongly urging council to defer this decision to better inform and allow

residents to be part of this democratic process.

Best Regards

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