

June 9, 2017

Dear Chair and members of Budget Committee,

I am briefly writing you to request support from the Budget Committee to complete the repairs of a city owned building at 705 Progress Avenue. I have been made aware that this building will soon house the South Asian Autism Awareness Centre (SAAAC) that will provide support and programming for approximately 500 children with autism.

I want to highlight that from my experience with the organization, SAAAC is an excellent resource that is much needed for communities across Scarborough. Their services fill a very important gap in the spectrum of services available to students with special needs and their families in our city.

I, again, request support from the Budget Committee to allocate the funds needed to complete the repairs of the city owned building.

Many thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Neethan Shan".

Councillor Neethan Shan
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