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MM26.9.31

We are in support of option B of motion MM26.9
250-year-old red oak located at 76 Coral Gable Drive

Our Resident's Association has been following this project for a few years now, although the tree is located 3.5 km north of our Weston Village Resident's Association.

We feel a connection to this marker tree for the Carrying Place Trail, which helped establish our Weston Road. The Carrying Place Trail has historical plaques throughout our Association along Weston Road, which brought visitors very early and allowed our Weston Village to be founded in 1796 by Lt-Governor John Graves Simcoe.

We also feel connected to the 250-year-old red oak as our Weston Village has many coveted tree-covered streets. But our proud tree canopy continues to be reduced one at a time as they are not all oak trees.

The homeowners of 76 Coral Gable Drive have offered Toronto an excellent opportunity to create a park for generations to enjoy.

It would be a shame to lose a 250-year-old red oak when we were this close to a solution.

Thank you
Dave Bennett - Chair
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