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May 4, 2021

The Honourable Doug Ford, M.P.P.

Premier of Ontario

Via Email: premier@ontario.ca

Dear Premier:

**Re:** City of Toronto Request to use Energy-From-Waste (EFW)

Facilities in Ontario

File Number: PG.25.06

At a meeting held on May 3, 2021, the Council of the Municipality of Clarington passed the following Resolution #C-162-21:

Whereas the City of Toronto's Infrastructure and Environment Committee passed a recommendation, at their April 28, 2021 meeting, seeking authority for the General Manager, Solid Waste Management Services to negotiate sending the City of Toronto waste to Energy-from-Waste (EFW) facilities in Ontario;

And whereas the City of Toronto Council will be considering the Committee's recommendation at their Wednesday, May 5, 2021 Council meeting;

And whereas the Municipality of Clarington is concerned about waste being imported into Clarington from other municipalities;

And whereas the Durham York Energy Centre (DYEC) Environmental Compliance Approval (ECA) only permits waste from Durham and York Regions;

And whereas the Host Community Agreement (HCA) between Durham Region and the Municipality of Clarington for the DYEC restricts the waste source to those identified in the EA Terms of Reference, which the ECA reflects; and

And whereas, the HCA outlines that, in the event that at any subsequent time City of Toronto waste would be processed at the DYEC, then Clarington shall be paid the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) per tonne;

Now therefore be it resolved:

That the correspondence from Wendy Bracken, regarding the City of Toronto's plan for their waste, be received;

That the Municipality of Clarington notify the City of Toronto that its waste is not welcome in Clarington;

That the Region of Durham be requested to notify the City of Toronto and the Province of Ontario that City of Toronto waste in not welcome in Clarington or anywhere in Durham Region;

That the Province of Ontario, and Clarington's MPPs, be asked to formally acknowledge and provide a response to the Municipality of Clarington's concerns; and

That a copy of Council's decision be forwarded to the Premier of Ontario, Clarington's MPPs, the Region of Durham, the DYEC, the City of Toronto, and Wendy Bracken.

Yours sincerely,

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Municipal Clerk

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c: see attached list of interested parties

## **Interested Parties**

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