From: <u>Clerk Cobourg</u>
To: <u>Krystal Christopher</u>

Subject: Fw: (EXTERNAL SOURCE) Treatment facility

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From: David Wright

Sent: Monday, November 30, 2020 2:38 PM

To: Clerk Cobourg

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Hello,

My name is David Wright and I am a resident of Cobourg.

I fully support the notion of a treatment facility opening in Cobourg. As someone who owns a home under a kilometre from the proposed site, I do not feel there would be any negative impact to the community or myself by allowing a facility to support and guide people back to health.

Addiction is a disease and it does not discriminate who it targets, much like cancer. Yet we would support a cancer facility opening in our community to save lives but are opposed to saving lives from addiction.

For those unaware with how facilities treating addiction operate, there are strict rules to be adhered to as well as stringent drug and alcohol testing throughout the rehabilitation process.

As mentioned earlier, I am a home owner, tax payer and volunteer in this community and someone who lives sober because of my time spent in this type of facility.

I would like this to be published for public meeting tonight. Thank you for your time.

David Wright

Sent from my iPhone