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To: Lara Morris

Subject: FW: [EXTERNAL] Re: Parkland Dedication By-law

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Sent: Wednesday, May 4, 2022 10:21 AM **To:** Alisha Cull <a cull@haldimandcounty.on.ca>

Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: Parkland Dedication By-law

Hi Alisha

Thank you for providing clarification on when the land would be valued.

I'm still of the opinion that there should be an option for a professional Realtor, living and working in Haldiamand; who can provide a estimate of value satisfactory to Haldimand staff as (or more) accurate as an appraiser could do from outside Haldimand. Staff are required to approve the appraiser and could use the same approval criteria to approve a Realtor.

Industrial and Commercial development should be excluded from parkland fees . The County collects capital charges on new Industrial and Commercial projects , plus their property taxes are typically based on more than twice the mill rate of a residential home . Its my opinion collection of these additional fees are not necessary . The County is limited on what incentives they can offer Industrial / Commercial development , adding additional development fees is discretional and should not be required .

What has been the response from Haldiamand County economic development staff on this Parkland fee proposal for Industrial / Commercial ?

Alisha, you can provide these comments for Councils consideration.

Thanks

Fred Moodie