

# Resident collects 500 names on petition supporting growth

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Acton resident Madge Turner, armed with an envelope stuffed full of signed petitions, told the hearing officers at the Acton Ontario Municipal Board hearing Wednesday that many people in Acton want to see the town grow.

Several Acton residents also attended the hearing to show their support for Turner's initiative.

Turner collected about 500 signatures over the past two weeks supporting growth. She added that several of the petitions were still out in the community because she hadn't been able to pick them all up.

"Many of us, particularly in the east end of town, have to go out of town for many things," said Turner. "If we could walk a short

way to shops (the proposed commercial development in Acton East) it would mean an awful lot to us."

Turner criticized the Izaak Walton Fly Fisherman's Club, which has said it would insist charges be laid against the town and the region if development in Acton leads to pollution in Black Creek.

"I think they are being very selfish. They live in an area (the club is based in Mississauga) that has everything, yet they pursue their hobby in Acton."

She added she understood most of Black Creek wasn't suitable for fly fishing because it wasn't wide enough.

"What about humans, don't we come first," asked Turner. "Let Acton grow and put us humans first."

Turner told the board she would have been able to get more signatures but many refused to sign because they felt they couldn't get anywhere if the government was involved.

"Some said 'no one cares about this town. We are just the poor relations'," said Turner.

The residential portion of the hearing is set to finish on Tuesday, Sept. 14, and the commercial issues will be rescheduled for the spring of next year.



Acton resident Madge Turner (centre) was at the Acton Ontario Municipal Board hearing Wednesday to stress to the hearing officer that several Acton residents want growth in the town. Several other Acton residents also attended the hearing to show their support for Turner including Robert Finlay (left) and Trina Noel (right).

## No objection to nursery plan

There were no objections by anyone at the public meeting held before council August 23 regarding an application for a zoning amendment to allow for a retail nursery outlet located on Trafalgar Rd. near Ballinafad.

The retail nursery outlet is already in operation, and the zon-

ing amendment would designate the area as Rural Special instead of the current Rural designation. In the past the nursery operation has been classed as legal non-conforming.

Area resident Daphne Shropshall was the only public member to speak on behalf of the

proposal, and she said she was in full support of the zoning change.

Town planning staff will report back to council on the outcome of the public meeting.

They will make a recommendation regarding the application at an upcoming Halton Hills council meeting.

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