



PRIVATE PERFORMANCE: Anita Garel (centre standing) celebrated her June 2, 80th birthday in advance last Thursday as she was serenaded by a singing group called *The Cheezies* from Ohio, including her grandson Jarod Garel (to her left) at a surprise party at St. Joseph Patron of Canada Church. – Ted Tyler photo

Free trade must be fair Town says

A letter to the United States Ambassador is the latest salvo in the Town's efforts to ensure free trade with Canada is fair trade.

Faced with punitive Buy American policies, and the Canadian government's recent invitation to join negotiations for the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP), Regional/Acton Councillor Clark Somerville recently urged the Mayor to write a letter to US Ambassador David Jacobson, asking that concerns over procurement and protectionist trade issues be resolved with the new TPP partnership.

While the agreement provides the potential to strengthen the rules governing trade in the growing Asia-Pacific region, Bonnette said the new deal also provides an opportunity to resolve issues raised by Halton Hills four years ago about the negative impact on Canadian businesses because of the Buy American policies.

Bonnette said Canadian jobs are still under threat. "There's already many companies are now already leaving Canada going to the States..." Bonnette said, listing five Canadian companies that have moved manufacturing south of the border.

In his letter, Bonnette said the time has come for Canada and the US to negotiate a comprehensive exemption from buy national restrictions, or ...we will have no other

option but to press our governments at the federal and provincial levels, to impose reciprocal restrictions on government procurement."

Regional/ward Two Councillor Jane Fogal questioned if the Town's Canadian-only retaliatory

purchasing policy is still in effect from four years when the Town began to fight Buy American policies she said are clearly to blame for "huge, huge losses of employment in this country, and we're sitting do nothing – well, it looks like we're going to do something, but

I don't see a while heck of a lot in the newspaper about fighting back..." Fogal said.

The letter will be sent to the Ambassador, Prime Minister Harper, the Minister of International Trade, local MPs and the Canadian Federation of Municipalities.

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