



# OUR READERS WRITE

THE CANADIAN CHAMPION

## How will development affect our environment

• from PARKWAY on page 6

The construction of the parkway facilitates the Milton Urban Expansion Phase 1, with an estimated 50,000 added to our community. How will the increased population and traffic affect air quality, water quality, and our quality of life?

Take a good look around you this spring. Breathe in our fresh air. Listen carefully this spring to the songbirds returning and the breeding amphibians. Taste our delicious Milton water, from clean underground springs. The water is clean and tasty because we have not developed on our aquifer yet. Enjoy the fresh fruits and vegetables grown on local farms at our farmers market. We have had it pretty good here and I am very

thankful to have lived in this town during the pre-development years.

Now, look to Mississauga. Look at the development all around us. Is this what we want our children to have? In my opinion, we have had enough development in the Golden Horseshoe. Someone needs to say 'stop'.

At my meeting with the James Snow Parkway EAS Team, I was requested to withdraw my request to bump up the study. I was told that even if the study were bumped up, development would proceed as planned.

I would like Halton Region to reassess this proposal and I would like to hear what others think of this report. The report was placed in the Milton Public Library on April 6. Please write to The Champion and your elected representatives.

**Diane McCurdy**  
Milton

## Letters welcomed

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Letters must be signed and the address and the telephone number of the writer included.

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or leave them at our office, 191 Main St. E.

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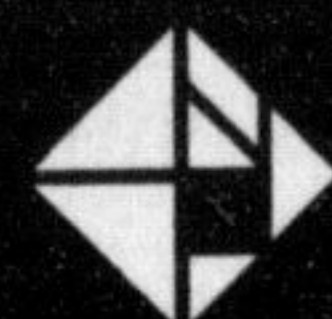
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