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Letters

Recent articles reflect how green we would like to be, but what stands in our way

Dear Editor:

How concerned are we about the quality of our lives? Two recent postings in the *Champion* reflect how green we would like to be, but what stands in our way.

The first story ('Petition for more GO Station parking gaining momentum' by Rachel Williams, November 27) about expanding parking availability for the GO station decries the need for financing parking expansion. The second posting is a letter to the editor ('Urban forest project worthy of spending taxpayers' money' by Tashia Ofiara, October 16) about the worth of an urban forest project.

Both of these issues speak to the topic of the quality of our lives and how we address overcoming the increase of carbon in our environment.

We do need to consider what's essential, regardless of the cost, about what will improve the quality of our lives. Can we afford not to take measures to decrease the number of cars that need to be on our roads? The urban forest project will improve the quality of our environment by decreasing carbon levels.

These two circumstances shed light on issues that have a green impact on what action is taken or not taken. We must ask ourselves, can we afford to be silent, inactive, or demand solutions that favour the quality of our lives?

Wayne Lucey, CEO
Halton Federal Green Party

SNAPSHOT



COLOURFUL SUNSET: *Champion* reader Deborah Edoo captured this image of a stunning sunset from Appleby Line

Do you have a unique, interesting, fun or cute photo taken in Milton that you would like to submit to be considered for Snapshot? Send submissions (minimum 600 KB resolution) to kmiceli@miltoncanadianchampion.com. Please include the name of the photographer (for publication) and a description of the photo including the location where it was taken.

Letters welcome

The Canadian Champion welcomes letters to the editor.

Letters should be no more than 300 words. We reserve the right to edit, revise and reject letters.

Letters must be signed with first and last name for publication, and the address and the telephone number of the writer included

for verification purposes only.

Email your letters to kmiceli@miltoncanadianchampion.com or send by mail to 555 Industrial Dr., Milton, Ont., L9T 5E1, or leave them at our office. Our office hours are Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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