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Rapp Road Residential/Western Avenue Mixed Use Redevelopment Projects

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To: Kovalchikk@togny.org

Dear Mr. Kovalchik,

Sure, I know that trees, butterflies and frogs can't vote so, even though the unique environment and small remaining portion of Pine Bush are reasons enough to **reject** the Rapp Road/Western Avenue development projects, these plans must also be **rejected** for: 1) the lack of economic viability during the current pandemic, 2) added traffic, and 3) added burden on local infrastructure with its attendant expenses.

Personally, I've been greatly enjoying online shopping and I do not plan to return to any big box stores, ever. Home Depot and Walmart already offer online shopping and delivery, as does Costco. Even the Westmere Liquor Store makes deliveries!

So, be sure to include that in your assessment of the viability of these projects.

And, please **reject** the proposals.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Crystal