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From: Emily Ford [mailto:emford2@att.net] Sent: Friday, February 03, 2012 5:41 PM

To: Martin, Al

Subject: Grandview Commons Big Box Store

## Greetings all:

We built our home in Richmond Hill 13 years ago and very much enjoy living here.

Now we wish to register our displeasure at the proposed big box store plan for our neighborhood. We currently have very good grocery stores close to us and we plan to continue to give them our business in the future. Why make existing stores struggle and perhaps fail when an additional store is not needed?

We believe that a large store is out of place in this location and should be out of consideration at this time. A smaller store would be a different issue and perhaps would be acceptable.

Please add our names to your tally of those not in favor of the current big box store proposal.

Thanks for hearing us on this matter.

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