

August 23, 2013

Mr. Ali Moayeri, Senior Vice President of Construction  
Costco  
999 Lake Drive  
Issaquah, Washington  
98027

**Re: Costco Development in the City of Guelph**

Dear Mr. Moayeri:

In light of recent media coverage, I am writing to assure you of Guelph City Council's continued support for your development in Guelph.

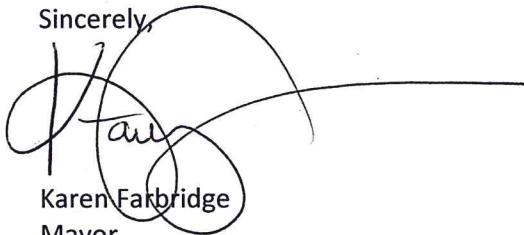
Council unanimously supported the extension of hours for construction that was requested through staff and the Operations, Transit and Emergency Services Committee. Council did not receive any correspondence seeking any further exemption and hope that you were aware of your opportunities to have done so up to and including attending the Council meeting as a delegation.

Regardless, an additional two hours on Saturday, above and beyond the recommendation of Committee was approved.

On behalf of my colleagues, I hope that the media coverage of Council's deliberation on this matter has not caused any concerns for you.

We appreciate your investment in our community.

Sincerely,



Karen Fakbridge  
Mayor

cc Karl Wettstein, Councillor, City of Guelph  
June Hofland, Councillor, City of Guelph  
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