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To: Mayor Shared Mailbox <mayor@clarington.net>

Subject: Honouring Indigenous Peoples

EXTERNAL

Hello! You will see a beautiful crosswalk in the photo attached. It is on Orangeville. It made me think that Bowmanville has very little to publicly recognize the Indigenous Peoples who have lived here and who live here today. Does Clarington have a committee working on this yet? Could we recognize that this is the traditional territory of Scugog Island First Nation? Could we recognize the contributions of the Métis and the Inuit who are from Clarington? The Truth and Reconciliation Calls to Action would be an excellent place for our community to start. Building relationships with Indigenous Peoples is critical, especially now that we are so very aware of the atrocities that have occurred. Residential schools, the sixties scoop, missing and murdered women and girls and the way treaties were negotiated in the past are just a part of the horrific treatment of Indigenous Peoples our colonial based society has participated in. Please take steps in Clarington to remedy this situation. A cross walk like this is one suggestion but our local Indigenous Peoples may have other ideas. Let's listen and take action.

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