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YORK REGION
COUNCILORS

I am writing you this letter to let you know the feelings of many of the voters in this area.

I had calls when they heard you were going to charge us money for the hospital. One caller said she had her bank four times a year just send money to the hospital. It would be a good amount. I had others who said the hospital would get nothing else if we had to pay with our taxes.

The hospital would get a lot less than they will if we have to pay in our taxis.

They get money from the government and we pay extra to the Provincial government for O.H.I.P. I don't as I am a senior and am supposed to get my medical free. I still pay taxis and on old age pension I have to try and make every nickel into a dime.

Every body has to remember money does not grow on trees.

We all have to do more with less. That means everyone not just the lower paid people.

If you make it a law that we all pay in our taxes the hospital will lose much more than they would get by you charging us in our taxes.

THE HEALTH CARE IS A PROVINCIAL PROBLEM AND IF WE PAY IN THEY WILL SPEND THE AMOUNT THEY WOULD PAY FOR OTHER THINGS AND WE WOULD BE STUCK WITH PAYING MORE.

STOP and think about this and those who want us to pay so they don't have to will lose more than they will gain with this idea.

I am not the only one who are on a fixed income. This is not the time to add more expenses. Many have lost their jobs and will be hard pressed to be able to pay their taxis with the increases already and will never make up the extra.

The region should stop and think and remember we do not make the extra pay that you all get for working for the Region.

Have a good day.



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