

My name is Scott MacGregor and I live at 79490 Erickson Dike Rd. I am opposed to the proposed rail yard at Port Westward.

The entire concept is a misguided and ill-conceived scheme that will fill the pockets of a few to the long-term detriment of many, including our own children and grandchildren.

A local farmer recently found stone tools in the area of this proposed development from a culture that lived for thousands of years in a sustainable relationship with nature. The tools speak eloquently to that fact. Since the arrival of the now dominant culture approximately 250 years ago the notion of sustainability has been overtaken by the greed of exploitation. This proposal furthers that narrative and NEXT's strategy of claiming this is "green" does not lessen the damage and threat of catastrophic consequences locally or globally.

For the sake of those who will follow us please deny this proposal.