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Mr. C. Johnston
President, SCORA
Southwest Central Oakville
Residents' Association

Dear Mr. Johnston:

RE: SCORA Letter dated May 2, 2011

Thank you for your letter dated May 2, 2011. As you have correctly noted in your letter, and as communicated in the Board's notices to the neighbours on March 14, 2011 and April 5, 2011, the site work at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School is still being completed.

Once the site work is completed and operational, the parking lot lights will not be turned on during weekends and holidays when the school is not in use. We understand your concerns, and the Board continues to work on the automation system for the parking lot lights to ensure that the lights are not turned on when the school building is not occupied.

During times when the school is occupied the lights will remain on in the parking lot as required until 30 minutes after the last occupant is scheduled to exit the building. This is our Board practice at all school and office sites to ensure safety of students, staff and any visitors to our buildings.

The Board participated in an extensive and full site plan approval process by the Town of Oakville, and in consultation with the community and neighbours to address the concerns and impacts of the school reconstruction on the neighbourhood. Please be assured that the Board has and will continue to work within the requirements and conditions of the Town approved site plan.

I trust that this letter responds to your concerns.

Sincerely,

A. A. LeMay
Chair of the Board

cc: Board members: A. Danko; A.A. LeMay, P. Marai, E. Viana, M. Pautler, G. Corbacio, H. Herman,
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