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Orono Weekly Times

"Project Parasite"

To the Editor:

Congratulations to Clarington Council on choosing to become a "Willing Host" for the parasite that is the incineration project. This economic and public health tapeworm will cost all residents of Clarington and the surrounding area dearly over the coming decades.

Congratulations to these feeble leaders for deciding that they must keep the process moving in exchange for a few minor economic concessions. Councillor Gord Robinson should be noted as a stand-out in this field of "leaders" for choosing to waffle on his position without the benefit of any new information.

Congratulations to these same leaders for choosing to ignore the strong voice of their constituents in favour of listening to Roger Anderson and the rest of the incineration lobby.

Finally, congratulations to our Mayor and his band of incineration boosters, including Councillors Trim, Novak and Robinson for forfeiting one of our community's few levers to ensure a strong voice in the remaining stages of the decision making process.

My children and their soon to be acquired health issues congratulate you all.

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