Monday, July-05-21

Brampton, Ontario

To: Patrick Brown-Mayor- City of Brampton

Charmaine Williams -Councillor Wards 7,8

Pat Fortini-Regional Councillor

We are fortunate to have Councillors Williams and Regional Councillor-Pat Fortini to assist us in concerns which arise from time to time. We have greatly appreciated their assistance.

For the past 5 DAYS, we have endured fireworks being set off during both throughout the night and daytime. The booming sound these firecrackers make have caused alarm, particularly when, for example, June 3rd at 11:00 pm a series of large thundering fireworks started to go off until approximately 3 am the following morning. My husband is a heart patient. He awoke at 11 pm startled by the loud booming noises and experienced difficulty breathing. This has become an ongoing problem approaching, during and immediately following cited Holiday Days. Last night, once again more fireworks close by, lighting up the street, but not on the street.

The neighbours and ourselves are distressed. The fact that Fireworks can be ordered online has greatly exacerbated the problem.

PLEASE, we are asking that something be put into place to assistance in reducing this ongoing problem.

As long time residents of Brampton we remember the days when there use to be patrols going street by street as a reminder to adhere to City Policies during these times. There are signs erected for snow removal, perhaps signs plus other visual reminders as to consequences for not adhering to City Policy could be employed.

Thank you in advance for your kind attention to our concerns.

William and Diane Lackner on behalf of ourselves and our neighbours