

December 7, 2022

To: Honourable Mayor Patrick Brown,  
City of Brampton

**Re: Petition in Support of New BARIC Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd**

Honourable Mayor,

I am writing to you with regards to the development of Brampton and Regional Islam Center (BARIC) in the area of East Brampton.

My name is Enam Chowdhury and I am a Canadian citizen who immigrated to this country 36 years ago. With a Masters in Science, I came to Canada from Bangladesh, and set roots in Brampton, where I have lived for over 33 years now. As a law-abiding, tax-paying citizen, working in Canada's largest generic pharmaceutical company, I built a home and raised a family here. As much as I love this city, something had always been lacking, which was efficient access to a local mosque for my family and I to be able to practice our faith in congregation. This was until I joined Brampton and Regional Islamic Center in 2014, and became a Board of Director. Throughout my role in this capacity, I have not only witnessed the great work done by this organization, but have personally experienced the impact. BARIC provided a place for me to take my family, to both learn about and practice our faith. It gave us a sense of community, where we have been able to practice alongside other families in our area, many of whom we have now built life-long friendships with. Being a founding member of this establishment has also allowed me become intimately involved in many of its initiatives, such as the development and facilitation of various educational programs for both children and adults, food programs for the community during months such as Ramadan, and raising and donating funds to organizations such as the Canadian Red Cross and Brampton Civic Hospital. The benefits seen from the development of this mosque in East Brampton have been immeasurable, and to lose this facility would be a great loss for the community and its members.

I implore you to please continue your support for the construction and development of this mosque.

Sincerely,

Enam Chowdhury

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

It is being requested that to build a community mosque (Brampton And Regional Islamic Center) in Ward # 10, Brampton is a dire need of Brampton's Muslim residents and neighboring areas to observe their religious obligations and perform prayers five times daily. It will be a great help for the community to approach the mosque in their everyday busy schedule, specifically for the young kids to take religious education and training and females access is important to consider. Looking forward for your favour and support for a great cause. Thanks

Kind Regards,  
Farah Samra  
Resident of Brampton

December 6, 2022

Re: Petition in Support of New Baric Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd.

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I have been in close contact with the BARIC Mosque and the community for over five years now. BARIC has provided various community services like daily prayers, religious eid prayers and many other things that allowed me and my family to connect with community and celebrate occasions like this together.

To continue support our community and future generations, I request that BARIC gets the support they need to build the new center for us and future generations to come. Thank you.

Regards,

Hossain Khan  
Software Engineer

December 6, 2022

Re: BARIC

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I am a member of the BARIC community and sending you this letter to request your support in the development of a new place of worship known as Brampton And Regional Islamic Centre.

Over the years, BARIC Islamic Centre has been a pivotal part of my experience as a member of the Brampton Muslim community. As an immigrant that moved to Canada in 2001, BARIC Islamic Centre provided my family with the opportunity to connect with others like ourselves within the Brampton community. It gave us the opportunity to collectively celebrate our religion and find a place of worship that brought together like minded individuals. It also allowed me to strengthen my own faith and practice.

Building a bigger venue that would allow more individuals to become part of the BARIC family will elevate the purpose that this mosque serves in our community by spreading the joy we have experienced by attending the many programs that it currently offers (Quran classes, etc.). I have attended tree-planting initiatives, raised funds for Syrian refugees and partaken in many more volunteer activities, all of which has truly enhanced my relationship with the muslim community and Brampton community at large.

This larger facility will bring together families and create opportunities for our children and the next generation to be in touch with their faith and be involved within the community.

Your past responsiveness to Bramptonians concerns gives me comfort that you will support our request in the development of the BARIC Islamic Centre.

Thank you.

Jesmin Habib

Venue Road, Brampton, ON L6P 4E5

Kuddus Halder  
Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
L6P 2Y3

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Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

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I am sure City staff is aware that such an Islamic Centre has been lacking in the East side of Brampton and the existing facility being inadequate for the growing Muslim population.

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Sincerely,

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Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
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Oakhaven Road  
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Nahid Halder  
Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
L6P 2Y3

Naila Halder  
Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
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Mayor Patrick Brown,  
City of Brampton

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I am a Muslim high school student who has lived in Brampton for 13 years. As a young advocate for the Muslim community, it would be wonderful to have a new mosque built in this city. In my years of living in Brampton, I have not witnessed much Muslim representation in social events or community buildings. Therefore, being able to attend a mosque in this city would create a sense of community, welcoming, and acceptance for myself as well as other young Muslims.

By adding a mosque to Brampton, the city will develop a great reputation as an appreciation for diversity will be portrayed towards Muslims and diverse cultures in other parts of the Greater Toronto Area.

I truly hope that you consider giving your support in building a Muslim community centre that will allow Muslims from all over the city to feel welcomed and appreciated. In the end, it will establish a good repertoire with the young Muslims in Brampton and will further diversify this wonderful city.

Kind Regards,

Naila Halder  
Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
L6P 2Y3

December 6, 2022

Re: Petition in Support of New Baric Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd.

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I have been a Brampton resident for over 20 years and ever since the Baric Masjid opened, my family and I were frequent visitors. As a family with young children, it gave us an opportunity to learn about our faith and interact with others in our community. It gave us something to look forward to on weekly basis. This is a place where we not only practice our faith but also a place where everyone from different cultures come together as a whole and share food, laughter, and most of all find peace.

As our community is growing, it is vital that we need a larger masjid to accommodate all our Muslim brothers and sisters. It is with our humble request that we have your full support in building such a centre; a place where we can gain knowledge to help us grow, a place where we are constantly reminded to respect one another; a place to help you love yourself more.

Yours Truly,

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Nazia Quazi

Project Manager

**To: Honorable Mayor Patrick Brown,**

**City of Brampton**

**Re: OZS-2022-0019 Public Meeting – Petition in Support of New BARIC Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd.**

**Respected Mayor,**

Peace be upon you and your family.

BARIC has been providing religious and Community services for the entire Muslim population in Brampton for last ten (10) years.

Brampton is growing very fast under your leadership and so is the Muslim Community. BARIC services the spiritual development and community needs of the region's rapidly growing Muslim population through Islamic principles, beliefs, and culture and through worship, education, charity & Civic engagement. Their contribution to our Muslim community is particularly important for our daily lives.

BARIC is seeking to establish its Centre at 9445 Clarkway Blvd., Brampton. We are very pleased to know that The City and the Community Leaders are working with BARIC to ensure that this Muslim Community is successful in its endeavor to build its own Centre.

We wholeheartedly support this BARIC project. This will fulfill our long-needed a Place of Worship in our Community. The Centre will also provide us many services including Counselling, Service for the religious education of our children, services for Seniors and other much needed supports for our Muslim Community.

This Centre will play an important role in bringing peace and harmony in our community and make this community safe to live in.

I, in full support of the BARIC project, would appreciate your great help to make this project fully successful.

With best of regards.

Sincerely,

Nasrul I. Waheed

Barleyfield Road.

Brampton, ON. L6R 2E2.

Date: Dec. 07, 2022.

December 7, 2022

To: Honourable Mayor Patrick Brown,  
City of Brampton

**Re: Petition in Support of New BARIC Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd**

Respected Mayor,

I am a resident of Brampton who was not only born here at Peel Memorial Hospital, but have lived in this city my entire life. For 31 years, I have taken pride in being a member of Flower City. As a Muslim growing up in Brampton however, I often felt a lack of resources available to my community, particularly religious centers and facilities catered to my religious faith.

In 2014, my family and I learned about and became active members of our local mosque, Brampton and Regional Islamic Center, and have been attending this institution and taking part in its welcoming initiatives ever since. As an Ontario Certified Teacher with the Peel District School Board, who works in Brampton public schools daily, I have seen first-hand the value that a religious institution like BARIC has provided for the community in East Brampton, particularly for the youth, and I am honored to consider myself a part of it.

Through various initiatives such as tree-planting activities and yearly fundraising and charity drives, BARIC encourages and provides opportunities for youth in Brampton to take on leadership roles in our community, and nurtures a sense of global and active citizenship among all its members, irrespective of age. This institution has allowed the local community to flourish, as members not only have a safe and inclusive space to network and practice their faith, but a place to bond with their families and the community at large, ultimately strengthening ties among Bramptonians.

I stand behind the development of this mosque and vehemently request your support in its establishment and progression.

With kindest regards,

Nosheen Chowdhury  
B.Sc (Hons), M.T., OCT

Elementary Teacher  
Peel District School Board

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**City of Brampton**

**Re: OZS-2022-0019 Public Meeting – Petition in Support of New BARIC Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd.**

**Respected Mayor,**

As'Salamualikum.

I have lived in Brampton for the past 23 years. Brampton was a very small City when I came here. At Brampton we were finding it great difficult to meet our religious services.

Now, BARIC is providing religious and Community services for the entire Muslim population in Brampton for last ten (10) years. It has made our life here easier. I am a senior and BARIC service helping me greatly.

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With best of regards.

Sincerely,

Parvin AKhtar

, Barleyfield Road.

Brampton, ON. L6R 2E2 Date:

Dec. 07, 2022.

Dear Mayor Mr. Brown,

Hope you are well!

I am contacting you regarding the proposed mosque on Hwy 50 (BARIC). The proposal is a dream come true for many Muslims living in Brampton East. The current mosque, which is located in Ebenezer Plaza, has limited capacity, so we do not have a palace to worship in.

The mosque is need of time and it will reflect the true multiculturalism which Canada and Brampton East stands for. As we have several Gurdwaras and Temples in this riding a Mosque will be a beautiful addition which will serve the growing Muslim Community in this area.

It is my humble request on behalf of all Muslims and other communities living in this riding. I ask that you consider this proposal and provide your approval for building the mosque. Please allow me to meet you in person and discuss how this beautiful idea of creating a mosque in this riding will benefit our community.

Look forward for your favorable response.

Regards,

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Subject: BARIC Centre

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I am a resident of Brampton and a member of the BARIC community. I am sending you this letter to request your support in the development of a new place of worship known as BARIC (Brampton And Regional Islamic Centre).

My experience at BARIC has enabled me to surround myself with likeminded Muslim brothers and sisters and create a community. BARIC has been a source of guidance for myself and my family for many years and the establishment has provided us with purpose and perspective. From volunteering at events hosted by BARIC, to collecting donations for the Syrian refugee crisis, the flood in Pakistan, etc., BARIC always tries to get members of its community involved in important issues. This signifies the positive impact that BARIC has not just within the Muslim community in Brampton but the community of Brampton at large.

BARIC Islamic Centre wants to expand because we have seen the positive impact it has been able to create within the community. Over the last few years we have seen BARIC bring together families, children, people of different racial backgrounds, and ethnicities and it has provided such individuals with an avenue of worship and community. We would like to build upon this for generations to come which is why the expansion of this mosque is integral. There is so much support within the community to fill the need for a bigger mosque and we believe that it's important to fulfill that need.

Your past responsiveness to Bramptonians concerns gives me comfort that you will support our request in the development of the BARIC Centre.

With kind regards.

Rahmatullah Habib, P.Eng., PMP

Venue Road, Brampton

Ridita Halder  
Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
L6P 2Y3

December 6, 2022

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I am sure City staff is aware that such an Islamic Centre has been lacking in the East side of Brampton and the existing facility being inadequate for the growing Muslim population.

With that in mind, it is our humble request that we have your full support in establishing such a centre which will be a beacon for the Muslim youth - myself included - to be good and prominent citizens and leaders of such a vibrant community like Brampton.

Best Regards,

Ridita Halder  
Oakhaven Road  
Brampton, ON  
L6P 2Y3

December 6, 2022

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I, Sara Ruhani, a resident of Brampton and a member of the BARIC committee am sending you this letter to request your support in the development of a new place of worship known as BARIC Islamic Centre.

BARIC Islamic Centre has been an integral part of my community experience in Brampton growing up. It allowed me to find other members of the community, like myself, who were eager to enhance and grow in their spiritual practice. It provided me with a network of muslim sisters and brothers that made me feel connected and at ease in the community. It gave me a sense of belonging and most importantly provided me with an avenue of worship.

I strongly believe that increasing the presence of BARIC by having a larger facility will allow more people of Brampton to have access to the invaluable community that I had the opportunity of being part of growing up. Having a larger facility which includes amenities like a gym and library will encourage the youth to become more involved, connect spiritually and create a sense a purpose that may be lacking in other areas of their life. Most importantly, it will provide them with a safe place to socialize where they can learn and grow from upstanding role models within the community.

Your responsiveness to Bramptonians concerns gives me comfort that you will support our request in the development of the BARIC Islamic Centre.

Thank you for all your help.

Sincerely,

Sara Ruhani

Venue Road, Brampton

December 7, 2022

To: Mayor Patrick Brown  
City of Brampton

**Re: Support for Proposed BARIC Centre at 9445 Clarkway Blvd**

Honorable Mayor,

I have been involved with Brampton and Region Islamic Centre (BARIC) and participated actively in various programs and activities since its beginning. The Centre has grown vely fast with the increase in its community members who visit the Centre regularly to get the services. With the variety of services and programs being offered by the Centre to meet the demands of the community, we must have a larger place to accommodate all people visiting the Centre.

BARIC worked hard to raise funds from its community members and purchased a land to build a new Centre at 9445 Clarkway Dr., Brampton. I understand BARIC management has been working with the City to have the required approvals for this project. I also understand that yourself, the Councilors, and City staff have been supportive to this important project. We have seen you and Councilors coming to BARIC multiple times and assured us that you will do whatever you can in your capacity to get this project approved.

Now in the pursuit of the Public Meeting on December 12" on this BARIC project, I want to express my full support and echo the voice of my other community members demanding the required City approvals to build the Centre as soon as possible. Your full support and cooperation in this regard would be much appreciated.

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**Sarfaraz Ali**

Manager, Enterprise Application Services  
Information Technology **CNIB**

**Tel:**

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**Home:**           **Settler Court**  
**Brampton, L6Z 4L8**

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I, in full support of the BARIC project, would appreciate your great help to make this project fully successful.

With best of regards.

Sincerely,

Shahidul Waheed

Lorenzo Circle

Brampton, ON. L6R 3N4.

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With best of regards.

Sincerely,

Waliul Waheed

Barleyfield Road.

Brampton, ON. L6R 2E2.

Date: Dec. 07, 2022.

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To

Honorable Mayor Patrick Brown,  
City of Brampton

Subject: Petition in Support of New Baric Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd.

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I'm living in Brampton for around 10 years. During this period of time, I notice there are significant amount Muslim people made their choice of residence at Brampton East. It has been my, my family, and all my Muslim neighbor's dream to have a proper religious center for us. In this center, we can practice our faith and interact with other community people to share our beliefs, culture, and values. Besides, it will give us the opportunity to create a center and foundation to help anyone in the community at large and those regardless of creed, color, and race who are struggling in a difficult time.

I believe that City staff is aware that such an Islamic Centre has been lacking in the Brampton East side and the existing facility is inadequate.

Considering the above it's our humble request we have your full support in establishing such a center which will be a beacon for the Muslim youth – to be good and prominent citizens and leaders of such a vibrant community like Brampton.

Sincerely yours

Md Zillur Rahman  
Goldsboro Road,  
Brampton, ON  
L6P3N9

07December 2022

To

Patrick Brown

The Honorable Mayor of City of Brampton

Subject: Development of BARIC Islamic Centre.

Dear Sir,

I, Anwar Kabir, a resident of Bolton, ON, usually perform my religious prayers and other community activities in BARIC Islamic Centre for long time. The community of different culture and religions are growing up and contributing to the multicultural very friendly environment in GTA. The number of Muslim in Brampton and surrounding area is also significantly growing day by day and need a large space to accommodate this grown number. A large mosque is the best way to accommodate the Muslim to perform their duties. The space at 9445 Clarkway Blvd. (OZS-2022-0019) is a very good place for communication and movement of traffic from all the direction during the activities in the proposed BARIC Islamic Centre. I am confident that the building of a mosque at this place will bring a new religious harmony in the community.

Me and my family support whole heartedly for this BARIC Centre Project and humbly requesting you to provide the permission of the project to go ahead.

Sincerely

Anwar Kabir

Country Stroll Crescent

Bolton, ON, L7E 2H3

December 07, 2022

To: Mayor Patrick Brown  
City of Brampton

**Re: Proposed BARIC Centre at 9445 Clarkway Blvd, Brampton**

Honorable Mayor,

As a long time Brampton resident, it was my family's dream to have a full Islamic Centre in Brampton East. BARIC started their journey about 10 years ago at their current location, where they are running various religious and social program.

In recent years the Muslim community in Brampton, specifically in Brampton East has grown large. The current BARIC facility in the plaza is not enough to meet the demand of the larger community, and not being able to run their planned program and services.

The services and programs being offered by the Centre to meet the demands of the community, we must have a larger place to accommodate all people visiting the Centre.

BARIC purchased the land in 2014 to build a new Centre at 9445 Clarkway Dr., Brampton, where other than religious services, they will have community gymnasium, Library, youth services, funeral services and a full Islamic School.

I want to express my full support along with the other community members demanding the required City approvals to build the Centre as soon as possible. Your full support and cooperation in this regard would be much appreciated.

Yours truly,

Anwara Begum  
Brampton resident

December 07, 2022

To,

Honorable Mayor Patrick Brown,  
City of Brampton

Subject: Petition in Support of New Baric Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd.

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

It is an honor and privilege to communicate with you regarding an issue that is now in need to bring it to your attention. I'm living in peel region for more than 10 years including 5 years in Brampton. During this period of time, I notice that there are significant amount Muslim people made their choice of residence at Brampton East. It has been a dream of me, my family, and all of my Muslim neighbors to have a proper religious center for us. In this center, we can practice our faith, meet and greet with our community and other community people to share our beliefs, culture, and values. Besides, it will give us the opportunity to create a center and foundation to help anyone in the community at large aspect and those regardless of creed, color, and race who are struggling in a difficult time.

I believe that City staff is aware that such an Islamic Centre has been lacking in the Brampton East side and the existing facility to meet our community expectations is insufficient.

Therefore, considering the above it's our humble request to you to have your full support in establishing such a center which will be a beacon for the Muslim youth, where our multitude community becomes better day by day. Together, we can build something greater than ourselves, and from there we will be contributing Brampton as a vibrant community.

Sincerely yours

Kamrul Hassan  
Russel Creek Drive  
Brampton, ON  
L6R 3Z3

December 7, 2022

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City of Brampton

**Re: Petition in Support of New BARIC Centre Project at 9445 Clarkway Blvd**

Dear Mayor,

This letter is in support of the development of Brampton and Regional Islam Center (BARIC) in the East end of Brampton. My family and I have lived in Brampton for over 33 years now, and since 2014, we have had the pleasure of attending and being a part of the local mosque in our area, BARIC. As a regular volunteer at this mosque, I have had the opportunity to take part in many of its charitable programs and non-profit services, such as providing food to the community during the month of Ramadan. BARIC also provides a space for me to attend Quran classes, religious seminars, and Friday congregation, in a place that is easily accessible, open, and welcoming. I am therefore requesting your continued support in the building and development of this mosque.

Kind regards,

Noima Chowdhury

Food Chemist  
ADM Milling

December 07, 2022

To: Mayor Patrick Brown  
City of Brampton

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Honorable Mayor,

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In recent years the Muslim community in Brampton, specifically in Brampton East where the Proposed BARIC Centre located, grown rapidly. There is no other Islamic Centre in Brampton East except the BARIC. The current BARIC facility in the plaza in the area, is not enough to meet the demand of the larger community, and not being able to run their planned program and services.

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Nusrat Quazi, ECE  
Teacher

**08 December 2022**

**To Honorable Mayor Patrick Brown, City of Brampton**

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Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I, Shahidul Sultan, and my family have been a part of the BARIC (Brampton and Regional Islamic Center) from the very first day. We were a small group of people who came together with great hopes of one day creating a mosque and building a place of worship and community where Muslims around the area can come together and practice Islam. I have been living in Brampton East for over 16 years now. I've seen the creation of Gurduwaras, Temples, Churches, etc and communities coming together. It is time to make accommodations for our society and the vastly growing muslim population in our area. BARIC also constitutes on local and national level by participating in hosting food drives, or collecting donations to help those in foreign countries suffering consequences such as floods and other forms of natural disasters. I also took part during all the board meetings with you to discuss the land and building process for BARIC, we were all so excited and you sparked great hope amongst us. We appreciate all the small initiatives you took to acknowledge BARIC such as joining us during Eid and motivating us so often to keep going. You as a national leader are representing our voice and can help us accomplish our purpose, for our community. BARIC will serve all groups of individuals as we plan on having a gymnasium, a library and also a community activity center which will especially benefit the younger generation allowing them to build a better relationship with the mosque, which will make it more enjoyable and exciting. BARIC has so much potential and you can make it possible. BARIC will represent the Muslims in Brampton East. A place of worship is where people find comfort, it's where they feel secure. BARIC is our home.

We truly appreciate your kind attention and whole hearted cooperation for the approval of the BARIC project.

Kind regards,

Shahidul Sultan

River Heights Dr, Brampton, Ontario

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December 8, 2022

To Honorable Mayor Patrick Brown

**RE: Petition in support of new Baric Centre at 9445 Clarkway Dr**

Dear Mayor Patrick Brown,

I, Umer Iqbal as a resident of East Brampton for the past 12 years would like to show my support for the new proposed Baric Centre. There is an ever growing Muslim population residing in the East Brampton, but there isn't a center large enough to accommodate them to practice their faith.

Having a new center would allow us to build a strong community and support systems especially for our youth through various programs that Baric would be able to run at the new center.

It's my humble request that we have your and city's support for completing this project, and making dreams a reality for many local Muslims.

Regards,

Umer Iqbal

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