

Fw: No Hate in Huron

From Patrick C <[REDACTED]>
To gmcneil@huroncounty.ca, bvanstone@huroncounty.ca
CC huronadmin@huroncounty.ca
Date Friday, 27 September 2024 at 07:01

Dear Warden McNeil and Deputy Mayor Vanstone,

Please find below my recent email to CAO Meighan Wark.

I really want to thank you for the recent endorsement of our letter/petition (attached) opposing the promotion of hatred in Huron County.

I also have a newer online petition in the wake of new knowledge regarding a neo-Nazi meetup that occurred in Goderich in early August.

I want to emphasize as I have elsewhere that my objective and the stated objective of the petitions is not the removal of the White Lives Matter billboard on Hwy 21.

What I have been calling for is a clear, swift, robust, and meaningful denunciation of white supremacist and neo-Nazi ideology/movements.

We are unfortunately far too late for clear and swift but there is still hope for robust and meaningful.

I implore you to use your communication channels to issue an official statement that explicitly condemns white supremacy and neo-Nazi ideology in the strongest possible language.

The safety and well-being of our communities depends on it. The legacy of our veterans who fought the Nazis the first time around depends on it.

I wish you courage and insight during this most pivotal moment. Relevant links can be found below.

Sincerely,

Patrick Corvyn, RN
Goderich resident

Links:

CTV news report:

<https://london.ctvnews.ca/white-lives-matter-billboard-sparks-controversy-in-southwestern-ontario-1.7048475>

Canadian Anti-Hate Network report on Neo-Nazi meetup in Goderich:

https://www.antihate.ca/us_neo_nazis_visit_canada_meeting_white_supremacist_active_clubs

change.org petition:

<https://www.change.org/nohateinhuron>

Southern Poverty Law Center backgrounder on White Lives Matter:

<https://www.splcenter.org/fighting-hate/extremist-files/group/white-lives-matter>

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From: Patrick C <[REDACTED]>

Date: On Tue, Sep 24, 2024 at 10:29

Subject: Fw: No Hate in Huron

To: huronadmin@huroncounty.ca <huronadmin@huroncounty.ca>

Cc:

Dear Meighan,

I hope you are doing well - it has been a long time!

I am writing to seek your support in my campaign to oppose the seeds of hatred in Huron County.

You are probably already aware of the situation regarding the White Lives Matter billboard and you may be aware of the recent neo-Nazi meetup that occurred in Goderich this summer. If not, links follow at the end of this message

I was so grateful for County Council's recent endorsement of my open letter calling on leaders to denounce white supremacy and neo-Nazi ideology (attached).

I think it is so vitally important for local leaders to swiftly, clearly and publicly repudiate hate groups, including the many different guises of white supremacy and neo-Nazism. I believe the future safety and well-being of our community and many of its most vulnerable members depends on how we apply our courage and our most deeply held values at this pivotal moment.

I strongly encourage the County of Huron to use its social media and other public communication vehicles to speak out against neo-Nazi ideology and to celebrate our diversity.

Warmest regards,

Patrick Corvyn, RN

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