RE: 7.4 Physician Recruitment Initiative - 2024-47

Dear Council,

While I commend the initiative being taken to recruit more desperately needed General Practitioners to The Royal City, I want to bring to your attention an open letter, recently published in The Star, from some doctors to new medical graduates in Ontario. I bring this opinion to you not to change your mind about providing the necessary funding to work on recruitment, I bring it to your attention to provide you with a context under which this search is being conducted. Realistic expectations must be set, and realistically, Guelph is no better positioned than any other community to attract and retain new physicians in Ontario.

Warmest regards, Morgan Dandie

https://thestar.com/opinion/contributors/as-family-doctors-our-prescription-for-residents-is-to-not-set-up-a-practice-in/article_92430004-d015-11ee-9408-d711cf0d1b55.html?utm_source=email&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=user-share&utm_content=amp