

March 4, 2020

Attention: Trista Di Lullo, ACST Secretary-Treasurer Committee of Adjustment, City of Guelph City Hall, 1 Carden Street Guelph ON N1H 3A1

Subject: Application Number A-10/20, 739 Woolwich Street

Committee of Adjustment, City of Guelph

I understand that the Committee of Adjustment is considering a request to locate a cannabis shop close to the site that will house the Canadian Mental Health Association.

I urge you to not allow this to happen. Requiring people seeking treatment for addiction and mental health issues to go to an office close to a store selling cannabis would place many of them at risk each time they come for help.

As a community we need to go all out to help people succeed in their efforts to recover, and to do our utmost to avoid creating situations that might set them up for failure.

Regards,

Roy Cameron

Executive Director, Homewood Research Institute