From: Allison MacEwen

To: <u>Jaclynne Hamel</u>; <u>Cheryl Mosher</u>

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From: Eleanor Palmer [mailto:eleanorpalmer1951@gmail.com]

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To: Allison MacEwen <AMacEwen@irac.pe.ca> Subject: Appeal DP Murphy INC. Borden Carleton

I am writing to appeal the decision to have a new Service Station and Convenient Store in the Town of Borden Carleton. We already have an Esso and Convenient Store (which we certainly have no problem with) so why so we need another one? I know in today's society that some people support competition but when one lives in a small community we believe in supporting the people who have supported us over the years so I am going to tell my family story and why my family feels so strongly against another COMPETITIVE BUSINESS!!!

My parents have and still live in Borden Carleton since 1951. We are a large family of eight so there were many many times that my family got groceries on credit until the pay cheque came in, as many other families. My mother always stated that Ceretti's store kept us fed when we were growing up.... Today my parents, like many other Seniors and Community citizens depend on Ceretti's and Howatt's to provide them with service that no other Convenient store could ever provide. For God's sake how many stores do you know of today that would deliver groceries to all Seniors in their Community? How many stores provide food trays to families who have lost loved ones and are grieving? How many small stores provide all the necessities that we need in the Community and if there is something that we need and Chad Ceretti doesn't have at the store, the he will order it for us!

Over the years we have lost our Pharmacy, our Doctor, our Ferry Service, our Credit Union, many small unique businesses in the Community, our Beach Access and now I am personally requesting that the Appeals' Commission not permit D. P. Murphy to build a Convenient Store.

And to think that Strait Crossing is in favour of this Construction when Ceretti's Store sells Strait Crossing passes is a complete joke.

Please don't destroy "the hands that feeds us"......

Eleanor Palmer, 53 Gower Street. 204 Charlottetown PE C1A 5V3 (for my family Elizabeth and Cecil Palmer). Sent from my iPad