From: noreply@kawarthalakes.ca <noreply@kawarthalakes.ca> On Behalf Of George and Shirley Salter Sent: Monday, December 7, 2020 8:24 PM To: Clerks <<u>clerks@kawarthalakes.ca</u>> Subject: Martin Drain Petition

Attention: Mr Mayor and City Councillors

George snd Shirley Salter, 1825 Pigeon Lake Road, Lot 18 Concession 11.

We own 99 acres and have farmed this land for almost 35 years. According to a map from Kawartha Conservation we are in the same watershed as Mr Martin at 1899 Pigeon Lake Road. We are opposed to the municipal drain being proposed in our community.

We are seniors on a fixed income and can't afford nor do we want this drain. It isn't just the cost of installation but also the future maintenance that we will be financially responsible for. Again, we are seniors on a fixed income. If we have to pay for a portion of this it could force us off our farm

It is a known fact that this can also affect and lower our water table. I suggest Mr Martin run his tile draining to the road ditch. Install a culvert and do some ditching.

Please confirm that you received this email.

Thank you

Shirley and George Salter