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Subject: The not so old play for the ole playbook....$50 Million Payoff!

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Mr. Chair and Board Members,

It came as no surprise that your secret and arbitrary deal with the Islamic Society of Toronto was announced yesterday .   Gift wrapped as being a community benefit, of course. All of you know that the IST does not have a relationship with the broader community - if they did, they would not be using a law firm for "media" relations.

SaveTPARK had written about this eventuality 6 months ago.

Your use of taxpayer dollars to overpay for property has the markings of abuse of community trust, abuse of power, and an absence of awareness of the long term impacts of community betrayal - or perhaps this is your objective. Choosing to enrich the "leaders" of Thorncliffe to sell their morals and common decency in exchange for some sort of promise of riches is an interesting decision for a group of unelected, misinformed men to make on behalf of thousands and thousands of people.

Did you know these same people that you are "entrusting" with $50 million closed down the food bank during the pandemic operating out of their space because it was being run by a woman! Incredible the length that a government agency would go to meet it's objective.

The above and more will be publicized - using money to pacify the "leaders" of a vulnerable community only perpetuates vulnerability, it does not provide a solution - check the results from the ole playbook.

Aamir