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Thank you to all who participated in this election. Unfortunately, we had an abysmal turnout here in Oakville, down to 28% from 37% in the last election. As I have said before, democracy requires the consent of the governed. But you cannot have the full consent of the governed with only 28% of our population selecting our elected officials.

I am pleased to say that I did capture the attention of quite a number of new voters and old voters who had lost interest in our electoral system. These voters took action when they read what I was doing, and helped support our municipal politics when they might not have otherwise.

Thank you to my small team that helped me run my campaign. Siobhan Kelleher Kukolic, my Mom, head of communications, and basically my campaign manager for this entire journey. She helped consult on and proof everything I put out, all while working full-time at her own job. Couldn't have asked for more.

Also a shout-out to my very small team of volunteers Luca Virdo and Kiran Carless who helped with some of the signage distribution, as well as Abby Hennessy who helped with canvassing in the Glen Abbey neighbourhood.

Thank you to those who helped fund the campaign as well. While this was not a \$100,000 mayoral run, a few donors made it possible with some small yet generous contributions to help keep my campaign going financially.

This is not the last you'll be hearing of me in politics. While I continue my studies at Sheridan College for my BA in Film and Television, I can assure you that I will keep working to see more youth involvement in all levels of government.

Cheers,

Jack K.