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Hello,

I have been reading about the discussions regarding the keeping of Backyard Hens within the city of Barrie. I am unable to attend the meetings in person, however I would just like to voice my support for the issue. My wife and I have been wanting to keep hens since we bought our home on Aspen Dr. 5 years ago. My wife has experience with chickens because she raised them when she was living in Innissfil and has assured me that the smell is a non-issue as long as your coop is clean and that they do not make very much noise. Certainly not more than your average dog. I think the pros outweigh the cons. We would be all for it! I hope I'm sending this email to the right people, if not, please forward it on or let me know who I should be contacting. Thank you for your consideration!

Sean Whalen