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I attended a meeting in Peterborough City Council said they were looking for opinions from the citizens of Peterborough.

Everybody who attended seemed to understand that Hydro One investors were indeed out to make a profit by purchasing our Electricity Distribution Network.

Although Hydro One would pay about \$100 million to Peterborough it was still clear that in the long run, Peterborough would take in more money by retaining our PETERBOROUGH DISTRIBUTION INC. than by selling it.

Selling the PDI would give us a lump sum but we would clearly be losing money in the long run. It is clear that at some point the Hydro One investors will have made their \$100 million back and they will begin making profits.

Citizens against the sale, hired a polling group and it revealed that 93% of citizens do not want this sale to take place.

At the meeting I mentioned earlier, approx. 100 citizens got up to say they did not want to sell PDI. Only one person said she was in favor of the

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sale and sadly this woman has severe mental problems and pushes a baby carriage around town with a plastic doll in the carriage as if it's her real baby.

I was waiting for council to say that they were not going to go ahead with the sale offer because of the overwhelming opposition from the community.

Instead, shockingly, they ~~was~~ voted 6-5 to sell 'our PDI

Some people think that 'democracy' is whatever elected officials want to do. But you + I know better; that good democracy is enacted when society proceeds with WHAT THE MAJORITY of citizens want.

Voting against 93% of your constituents is an example of democracy gone bad and is a frightening example of democracy being eroded.

The vast majority do not want to sell PDI. Please do not erase the good democracy that my uncle died for in WWII.

THE VAST MAJORITY OF
PETERBOROUGH (93%) do not
want to sell our P.D.I.

99% of citizens at information
sessions pleaded with Peterborough's
City Council to NOT SELL PDI.

We were betrayed, in the end, by
6 councillors - Just enough to approve
the sale offer. PLEASE PLEASE

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Respect the 93% of Peterborough's citizens
who strongly state: "DO NOT
SELL OUR PDI!!!"

Thank You John Baker
- SEE OVER -

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FOR 100 years, Peterborough
has been making money off of our
electricity distribution network!

Why on earth would we sell it now
for a greedy little money grab.

It is irrefutable that our ~~city~~ city
will make more money in the long
run by SAVING OUR PDI!

PLEASE let us keep our PDI

93% say:

"DO NOT SELL PDI"

Thank You
John Baker

"Do not sell the goose that lays the golden egg"

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I believe the independant poll
that indicates that

93% OF PETERBOROUGH
OPPOSES THE SALE OF PDI
(our electricity distribution network)

This sale is so overwhelmingly
unpopular it should not even
be taken seriously.

This is the first letter I've written
that represents $\frac{19}{20}$ citizens.

Virtually no one wants this sale!

PLEASE respect Democracy!

Power outages are rare and they are fixed
promptly. We like things the way they are
DO NOT LET OUR MUNICIPAL COUNCIL betray
citizens by selling... PLEASE Thank You
John Baker

Hydro One investors want to buy our PDI to make money off of us. Since almost everybody understands this, why are we still selling it? 93% of citizens oppose this sale. Why is City Council not revoking this short-sighted and overwhelmingly unpopular offer to sell our PDI?

John Baker

✓ My Uncle Gordon Parker
was killed piloting a WWII bomber

✓ He was a great man - he died
for DEMOCRACY

✓ Democracy is "Government by the people"

We have democracy so society
can proceed with what the
MAJORITY OF CITIZENS want!!

...to PROCEED THE WAY THE
MAJORITY OF CITIZENS WANT
TO PROCEED.

Democracy is not about electing
a half dozen people to do
whatever they want.

We have "Representative Democracy"
which is still defined as
"government BY THE PEOPLE"

Even if you think Peterborough would be
smart to sell our PDI, we want
you to disallow this sale
because

IT IS OVERWHELMINGLY
UNPOPULAR

Thanks John Baker