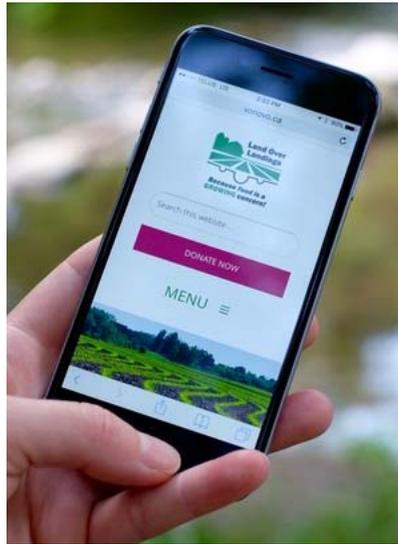


OUR NEW WEBSITE IS LAUNCHED!

We invite you to visit for a look-see at landoverlandings.com. Or search on Land Over Landings. Simple as that.

All the interesting and informative content on our old site is now (or soon will be) on the new site too. You'll find latest news and new area maps, along with a library of resources.



Alexis Edghill Whalen

Coming soon: documentary photos, and links to many hundreds of pertinent articles from news sources worldwide. We're told that our website is the go-to place for reliable information on the Pickering airport / Federal Lands saga. This is a reputation we take seriously and wear with pride, and that we fully intend to maintain.

Our sincere thanks to volunteer Karen Phillips, of Phillips Web Design, for developing and administering our previous site over eight hectic years;

and to volunteer Yvonne Berg, of Vonovo Media, for creating our new site, built to be responsive to all of today's devices, from desktop computers to smartphones.

We hope you like our new look. Check in often to keep up to date.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT...



Pat Valentine

"AN IDEA THAT SHOULDN'T GET OFF THE GROUND"

The *Toronto Star*, on Saturday, August 6, ran an op-ed piece – you may have seen it – by a corporate-jet pilot, blaming the failure to build Pickering airport on 45 years of “myths and emotion.” And what exactly were these myths that he claims stopped an airport? In a nutshell: that Pickering airport isn't needed; that a Pickering airport would harm the environment; and that paving farmland would reduce local food supplies. Hands up all those who just said: “What?!”

At least a third of the *Star's* letters to the editor this past Saturday were responses to that piece – and not all came from Pickering; they arrived as well from Whitby, Mulmur, Etobicoke, Burlington, Hamilton – all reasoned, well-informed letters citing facts, not myths, and all trouncing the mostly erroneous arguments put forward by the op-ed writer in his attempts to argue why Pickering Airport would be a win-win-win for the environment and the economy.

The op-ed piece and letters can be found on our FB page right now. And they will soon be on our new website too, likely joined by more rebuttals... Stay tuned.

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