Good Evening. I want to thank the ESD for allowing the members of the communities most impacted by this over development to voice our concerns and have them addressed before the project can move forward. There are still an abundance of serious issues and concerns that need to be addressed and I hope that the ESD and NYAP can answer the call.

Although there are many open items still to address, I’d like to point out one very big concern that has been slightly addressed in the DEIS; and that is Tailgating. I was very pleased to see ESD & NYAP confirm in the scoping document that tailgating is CURRENTLY not allowed at the Belmont Park development. In addition, it was further acknowledged and confirmed in the DEIS that Tailgating IS NOT allowed in the Belmont Park parking lots, under CURRENT CONDITIONS. I am glad to see this language in the document, but, as we have learned from the past, words like "PROPOSED" and "CURRENTLY" are strategically placed to leave it open ended. THE FEIS MUST CONTAIN DEFINITIVE LANGUAGE CONFIRMING TAILGATING IS NOT AND WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE BELMONT PARK CAMPUS.

To start, what law enforcement agency will be responsible to enforce this law on the Belmont Campus. Being that it is State land, the NYS troopers should be patrolling the campus making sure Tailgating is not occurring next to our homes, schools, or anywhere on the Belmont Campus. Hired security and NYRA pinkertons will not be enough. Whatever agency is patrolling the campus, they must have the authority to enforce the law. This must be addressed in the FEIS.

Second, if Tailgating is happening illegally on the Belmont Campus, what will be the repercussions to those who partake in this activity,
next to our homes and schools? Will there be fines? Will there be arrests? This is something the surrounding communities need to know.

And finally, if the situation arises that the developer, NYAP, NYRA or the state is not patrolling and aggressively enforcing this NO TAILGATING policy, what repercussions will be in place for the land operator? Will the VFP police be able to randomly audit the grounds to see if this commitment is being upheld? If it is not, how will the communities be compensated?

This is a serious issue and needs to be addressed in the FEIS. Being that the ESD & NYAP insist on placing these parking lots, and all the potential behaviors that occur in them, immediately next to our residential homes and our children's schools, this should be a priority and must be spelled out very clearly in the FEIS.