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Councillor - Ward 16, Eglinton Lawrence

Date: Sept 10, 2012

To: North York Community Council –City Clerk's Office-Secretariat

From: Councillor Karen Stintz

Subject: **Intention to Designate Postal Station "K" at 2384 Yonge Street a Historical Property**

SUMMARY:

Postal Station "K", a national historic site, is being sold by the owners, Canada Post. It is the only property in Canada which bears the Royal Cypher of King Edward VIII, who reigned only in 1936.

The property has been listed with Heritage Toronto but the property is owned by an agency of the Federal Government and therefore cannot be designated as "heritage" by the City until the property is in private ownership.

There has been an expression of interest in the property by developers. The community is very concerned about the demolition of this building and potential loss of public space.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

North York Community Council recommend that City Council expresses its commitment to designate Postal Station "K", located at 2384 Yonge Street, a heritage property once the sale is finalized.

Sincerely,

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