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LAKESHORE PLANNING COUNCIL

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TO: Members of the Toronto Preservation Board

Item PB25.2 - Intention to Designate under Part IV, Section 29 of the Ontario Heritage Act - 2 Station Road

The Lakeshore Planning Council Corp., a residents' organization serving the South Etobicoke community for more than 20 years, fully supports the motion to designate the property at 2 Station Road (Wesley Mimico United Church) under Part IV, Section 29 of the Ontario Heritage Act at the next meeting of the Toronto Preservation Board scheduled for October 3, 2013.

The Wesley Mimico United Church has filed a development application with the City of Toronto to make certain changes and additions creating owner-occupied seniors' housing that retain important heritage features of the Church, and provide necessary funding for the Church to continue its services to the Community.

We note that these physical changes are supported by the Etobicoke Historical Society as advised by Denise Harris, Heritage Officer; and by the Etobicoke York Community Preservation Panel as advised by Mary Louise Ashbourne, Chair.

The Lakeshore Planning Council Corp. is pleased to support the designation, preservation and creative re-use and revitalization of this important heritage building for the benefit of the Mimico community as a whole.

Sincerely,

Timothy Dobson, OALA Chair Lakeshore Planning Council Corp.