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Chair Paula Fletcher and Committee Members,
Toronto and East York Community Council

Re: Update on Item TE32.3 - Naming of Two Public Lanes Located in the Blocks Bounded by Yonge Street, Gloucester Street, Church Street and Wellesley Street East

Dear Committee Members,

The purpose of this motion is to ceremoniously dedicate Wabenose Lane and Chechalk Lane as "Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation"

At its meeting of May 13, 2014 Toronto and East York Community Council (TEYCC) adopted a recommendation to name two public laneways in the area of Yonge Street and Gloucester Street as Wabenose and Chechalk Lanes. The naming proposal complied with the City of Toronto Honourific and Street Naming Policy.

In discussions with staff from Transportation Services no additional street name signs would be required to accommodate the dedication. In consultation with the Church Wellesley Neighbourhood Association and with the consent provided by the Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nations Council, I request that TEYCC adopt the following recommendations:

1. That Wabenose Lane and Chechalk Lane be ceremoniously dedicated as "Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation";
2. That Toronto City Council authorize the General Manager of Transportation Services to post special honorary street name signs.

Respectively yours,

Councillor Kristyn Wong-Tam
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