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Toronto Public Works & Infrastructure Committee City Hall 100 Queen Street West Toronto ON M5H 2N2

Dear Committee Members:

Re: 23 February 2015 Item PW2.2 Removal of Bay & Bloor Pedestrian Scramble Signal

GYRA fully supports the removal of the under-utilized pedestrian scramble at the intersection of Bay Street and Bloor Street. The scramble exacerbates rush hour congestion to unmanageable and frustrating levels for those who live in the Bay & Bloor area, and for those who traverse this area. Measures to alleviate gridlock are much needed, and the removal of the pedestrian scramble is a first step towards reduction of chronic congestion in the Bloor-Yorkville area.

Yours truly,

Gee Chung
President
THE GREATER YORKVILLE RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

c.c. Mayor John Tory
Councillor Kristyn-Wong Tam