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Dear Ms. Bettencourt:

The North Toronto Historical Society strongly supports the report of the City of Toronto Planning Division which recommends inclusion of 2512R Yonge St. on the City of Toronto's Heritage Register for its cultural heritage value.

The property, known since 1909 as the Eglinton Orange Hall, is one of the oldest buildings in North Toronto. Originally built as a one-room schoolhouse in 1851, it served the village of Eglinton prior to the incorporation of the Town of North Toronto. In the period before the Orange Order purchased the property, it served the congregation of Eglinton Presbyterian Church.

Located on a laneway off of St. Clements Avenue and not visible from Yonge St., the building is a local treasure, a reminder of the rural past of North Toronto.

The North Toronto Historical Society has included the building on its walking tours for the last forty years and views its inclusion on the Heritage Register as an important and necessary move.

Sincerely,

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