



October 17, 2017

Toronto and East York Community Council
100 Queen St. West
Toronto, ON M5H 2N2

Dear Chair and Members,

NEW BUSINESS REQUEST:

Amending the Existing Southbound Right-Turn-On-Red Prohibition at Symington Avenue and Bloor Street West

SUMMARY:

As the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) operates a transit service on Bloor Street West and on Symington Avenue, City Council approval for this item is required. Transportation Services will be installing a new eastbound left-turn green arrow feature at the intersection of Bloor Street West and Symington Avenue to improve operations of all vehicles, including TTC buses. Currently, southbound right-turns-on-red are prohibited at all times. However, southbound right turns can be safely accommodated during the above-noted phase with a green arrow. The purpose of this item is to allow southbound right turns from Symington Avenue to Bloor Street West during a green arrow signal phase.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That City Council amend the existing southbound right-turn-on-red prohibition in effect at all times at Symington Avenue and Bloor Street West to be in effect when traffic control signal shows red, except during the southbound right-turn green arrow signal phase.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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