

## TE34.44.26 and TE34.45.3

July 20, 2018 12th floor, West Tower, City Hall 100 Queen Street West Toronto, ON M5H 2N2 Attention: Marilyn Toft

Via email: clerk@toronto.ca

Re: Items TE 34.44 and TE34.45 concerning the demolition of three one-storey homes at 5, 7 and 9 Dale Avenue and a zoning amendment to the Official Plan for the construction of a four-storey apartment complex in their place

## **Dear Mayor Tory and Members of City Council**

The South Eglinton Ratepayers' and Residents' Association (SERRA) supports the two local residents' associations in this matter. We concur with FoNTRA's request that City Council approve the recommendation of the Toronto Preservation Board and refuse demolition permits for the three properties in the South Rosedale Heritage Conservation District.

Upholding the policies of Toronto's Official Plan and the Ontario Heritage Act is an essential element in maintaining stable neighbourhoods and their historic character.

Please avoid setting a dangerous precedent for heritage planning by voting to support City Staff recommendations for these three properties.

Sincerely yours,

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