



Centennial Community Recreation Association

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To the Executive Committee

The Centennial Community Recreation Association (CCRA) strongly supports the agreement between the provincial government and the City of Toronto which states that the province will assume responsibility for the construction and funding for a 3-stop Scarborough subway. This is great news for Scarborough transit users who are in desperate need of more efficient transportation to and from the city core.

This new agreement also clears the way for the City to re-allocate over \$5 billion to other transit priorities. Again, this is a very positive announcement and welcome news indeed.

On April 6 our association wrote a letter to the executive committee advocating for the construction of the Eglinton East LRT (EELRT). Once again the CCRA wishes to demonstrate our unequivocal support for the EELRT extension **in full to Malvern Centre..**

We Scarborough residents are tired of delays regarding public transit. Now is the crucial time for the City to direct these available funds to the improvement of public transportation that Scarborough residents have been promised over the years. **Scarborough deserves better.**

We strongly urge that the 25 City councillors, at a minimum those Councillors who represent Scarborough, stand together and fight for Scarborough's right to efficient transit. We demand that Scarborough public transportation becomes a priority for the City of Toronto. We want shovels in the ground! No more delays. The EELRT must be built in full to Malvern so that the thousands of Scarborough residents and UTSC students can move more efficiently throughout the city. The time for the competent effective Scarborough public transit is NOW.

CCRA PRESIDENT- Kathy Rowe