

Finch West Light Rail Transit – Temporary Traffic Regulation Amendments – Finch Avenue West at Elana Drive

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To: Etobicoke York Community Council

From: Director, Planning and Capital Program, Transportation Services

Ward: Ward 7 - Humber River-Black Creek

SUMMARY

As the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) operates a transit service on Richmond Street West, City Council approval of this report is required.

The purpose of this report is to seek Council approval for a temporary traffic by-law amendment on Finch Avenue West at Elana Drive to prohibit the existing westbound left-turn movement for a 3 month (May 1, 2019 to July 31, 2019) pilot project. Additionally, the pilot project includes removal of the existing southbound through traffic prohibition at the intersection of York Gate Boulevard/Elana Drive and Finch Avenue West. Matters related to removal of the existing southbound through traffic prohibition will be discussed in a companion report "Finch West Light Rail Transit – Temporary Traffic Regulation Amendments – York Gate Boulevard at Finch Avenue West" requiring Etobicoke York Community Council approval.

The pilot project is in response to the future infrastructure upgrades at the intersection of York Gate Boulevard/Elana Drive and Finch Avenue West to accommodate the Finch West Light Rail Transit service and access to the planned maintenance and service facility.

COMMENTS

Transportation staff are finalizing the recommendations for consideration by Etobicoke York Community Council at its meeting of April 24, 2019 and City Council meeting of May 14, 2019.

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