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Agenda Item IE20.12: ActiveTO - Lessons Learned from 2020 and Next Steps for 2021

Lytton Park Residents' Organization (LPRO) is an incorporated non-profit association, representing member households from Lawrence Avenue West to Roselawn and Briar Hill Avenues, Yonge Street to Saguenay and Proudfoot Avenue.

The City Transportation Services recommends the “installation of a temporary ActiveTO complete street pilot on Yonge Street between Bloor Street and Davisville Avenue / Chaplin Crescent,” including protected bike lanes, and “allow Transportation Services to consult, analyze, design and install a recommended complete street on Yonge Street after local consultation without delay.”

Complete streets provide a safe space for all road users – people who walk, ride a bike, take transit, and drive. Complete streets integrate patios, parking, loading zones, traffic calming measures and bike lanes into the mix. The recommendation will be part of the city's CafeTO and ActiveTO programs, which are pilot installations that can be tested and adjusted based on the public's experience. The approach is similar to what was successfully installed along the Danforth last year as part of the Destination Danforth revitalization program.

Although we are disappointed that this new vision for Yonge does not extend north of Davisville at this time, we hope that the complete street concept will be implemented in our neighbourhood either later this year or early next year so that walking and cycling in the area become safer and more pleasant, making it easier to support our many local businesses and help them recover.

The Lytton Park Residents' Organization strongly supports the recommendations of the City of Toronto's Transportation Services.

Respectfully,
Maureen Kapral, Vice-President
Lytton Park Residents' Organization

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