

September 19, 2024

**RE: U-Turn Prohibition - Bayview Avenue and Nesbitt Drive** 

Dear Toronto and East York Community Council members:

## Summary

The intersection between Bayview Avenue and Nesbitt Drive is hazardous. It is located at the top of a long and very steep hill, where speeding is common. The intersection is close to an underpass, has limited visibility and lacks sidewalks.

U-turns at this location are particularly hazardous because northbound and southbound drivers are frequently travelling at speed and are unable to see the U-turning vehicle until the last moment. Community members have therefore requested that U-turns at this location be prohibited. Transportation Services has reviewed the intersection and concurs that this is an appropriate safety precaution.

## RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. City Council prohibit northbound and southbound U-turn movements at all times on Bayview Avenue at Nesbitt Drive.

Councillor Dianne Saxe

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