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CITY COUNCILLOR | **CHAIR, ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY
WARD 9 • DAVENPORT** | **DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

September 23, 2024

RE: Installation of Speed Humps on Kingsley Avenue, between Symington Avenue and Laughton Avenue

Dear Chair and Members of Toronto and East York Community Council,

In 2023, speed humps were installed on Laughton Avenue as a response to resident concerns regarding speeding. Since this installation, residents have contacted my office to request that speed humps be extended to Kingsley Avenue, just south of Laughton Avenue and Pelham Avenue, to resolve continued dangerous driving issues.

Residents have shared that vehicles routinely speed as they exit the traffic calming zone along Laughton Avenue – resulting in numerous close calls with pedestrians and other drivers. As Kingsley Avenue fronts a pathway at Charles-Sauriol Elementary School, immediate traffic safety improvements are urgently needed.

In a survey conducted by my office, residents along Kingsley Avenue voted unanimously in favour of speed humps to resolve these safety issues.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that:

1. Toronto and East York Community Council authorize the installation of traffic calming (speed humps) on Kingsley Avenue, between Symington Avenue and Laughton Avenue.
2. Toronto and East York Community Council direct the City Solicitor to prepare a by-law to alter the roadway for the installation of three speed humps on Kingsley Avenue, between Symington Avenue and Laughton Avenue, generally as shown on the attached Drawing No. TC-256, dated August 2024 from the Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services.

Sincerely,

Alejandra Bravo
City Councillor
Ward 9, Davenport

Attachment 1 – Drawing No. TC-256