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To all City Councillors and Mayor Olivia Chow

## Re: MM34.9 - Rehabilitating Amsterdam Bridge at Harbourfront Centre

York Quay Neighbourhood Association strongly supports the motion to restore the Amsterdam Bridge at Harbourfront Centre, brought forward by our Councillor Ausma Malik.

This iconic bridge is in disrepair and has been closed to foot traffic since 2021. It was a gift from Amsterdam to Toronto when they became twin cities in 1974 and was an attractive and functional part of Harbourfront Centre for many years.

The Amsterdam Bridge is now a blight on our very popular Waterfront. This is the right time to restore it before the coming tourist season and FIFA games, under the management of Create TO.

Sincerely,

Neal Colgrass, Co-Chair

Ed Hore, Co-Chair

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