



**Federation of
South Toronto
RESIDENTS'
ASSOCIATIONS**

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Olivia Chow
Executive Committee
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Revitalization of Queens Park North

Dear Mayor Chow and Members of the Executive Committee

The Federation of South Toronto Residents Associations (FoSTRA) is a community-based organization that currently represents 27 residents' associations (RAs) in the five downtown wards – Wards 4, 9, 10, 11 and 13, which contain hundreds of thousands of Toronto residents.

FoSTRA believes that Queens Park North is a cherished green space that warrants careful planning to balance proposed design elements with potential adverse impacts to ensure its ultimate role as a public park, enjoyed by so many on a daily basis, is preserved.

After reviewing the report and Councillor Saxe's letter, we support the key elements of her letter, especially the reference "*Minimize impacts to trees, root systems, and the natural environment in the siting, servicing, design, and construction of any structure or assets in the park,*" and add the following requested actions.

Specifically, we

1. Request that City Council direct the General Manager of Parks and Recreation to bring the final concept plan to the Infrastructure and Environment Committee (IEC) after consideration of the comments from the Design Review Committee and further consultations with the stakeholders as contemplated in the letter from Councillor Saxe.



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2. Request that City Council direct the General Manager of Parks and Recreation to bring back the final detailed design to the IEC for final consideration before tendering the project.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick Green", is written in a cursive style.

Rick Green
Chair

cc. Executive Committee

cc. FoSTRA Member RAs