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To the City Clerk:

Please add my comments to the agenda for the July 21, 2026 Executive Committee meeting on item 2026.EX33.13, 2026 Levy on Railway Roadways and Rights-of-Way and on Power Utility Transmission and Distribution Corridors

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Comments:

I would like to request that executive earmark the 7m\$ collected from the railroads in taxes towards rail safety in Toronto.

Specifically that the 7m\$ be placed in a reserve fund for the construction of platform doors on the TTC.

As we are looking for dedicated funding for the 4b\$ project this would be a good start at creating an ongoing revenue stream for starting and accelerating this project. It would also show other levels of government that we are serious about solving the 20 deaths and millions of delay minutes every year.

While more money will be needed, this initial 7m\$ will help with design and other work needed to progress the project and allow for the purchase of work cars, software updates and other early works of this project.

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Sent from my iPhone