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Councillor James Pasternak
Chair North York Community Council

RE: Introduction of new report: Road Alteration – Lawrence Avenue West

Dear Chair Pasternak,

I am writing to request that North York Community Council introduce and consider the attached staff report as new business at the April 29 meeting.

Councillor Mike Colle recommends that:

1. North York Community Council introduce and consider the recommendation in the report (April 20, 2026) from the Acting Deputy General Manager, Transportation Services attached to this letter.

Summary

The delay in staff submitting the report was at my request so that the Transportation Services recommendation for an eastbound queue-jump lane (QJL) on Lawrence Avenue West could be reviewed by the Marlee – Glencairn Study team in context with those plans for additional, future traffic congestion mitigation strategies.

Given that additional review, there is confidence that the proposed queue-jump lane will not only have the potential to improve operational efficiency at this very congested intersection but, will not create any adverse effect on future plans including the possible closure of the southbound Allen Road on ramp.

Best regards,

Deputy Mayor Mike Colle
City Councillor, Ward 8 – Eglinton-Lawrence

cc: Matthew Green
Committee Administrator