

Letter for Civic Works Committee on March 2, 2021

Re: Sidewalks on Tarbart Terrace

Hello,

I have MS with mobility issues and I have low vision so I wear 4 contacts during the day. I am told sidewalks are needed but Sidewalks will not increase accessibility.

During the spring, summer and fall I find I use the road as I can't see where the sidewalks are cracked and uneven so have tripped. During the winter, many sidewalks and paths in London are not cleared so I still find it better to use the road.

Also, you cannot replace mature trees by planting young trees. It does NOT work that way. This should be the biggest overwhelming reason not to do the sidewalks. Some of these trees have been alive longer than me. They filter our air and provide oxygen. Two very important things to all of us.

Please, please, save the money and please don't add sidewalks that are not needed, wanted and won't be used.

Thank you for your consideration,

A. J.

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