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To: CWC < cwc@london.ca >

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Concerns for civic works committee about Dundas street and

proposed changes

Hi Elizabeth Berry-Peloza,

Thank you for taking the time to read this message. My name is Matthew Barry. I'm a homeowner in central London, and I have concerns about Dundas street that I feel are not being addressed by the proposed changes to the design of the street. My concerns are very concisely summarized by this open letter penned by Ben Cowie: https://docs.google.com/document/d/11--nKhOI7M-uvNnlklieJuBRK6w8idaBIJaZt -SeWc/edit?usp=sharing.

I urge the committee to please consider the safety of members of our community before prioritising the convenience of a subset of people in the design of Dundas Place. Flex streets are generally built to serve as a public space that invites walking, biking, and existing, and both the present design and proposed changes to Dundas Place are clearly built around moving large numbers of cars quickly, which is not compatible with inviting use of the downtown.

Thanks again for listening!

-Matt