

Glen Andrew Community Association

Fixing Our Transportation System

On May 2nd City Planning Staff will be asking Council to approve a whole bunch of changes to how we get around and through our Scarborough Centre.

They want Council to approve a number of “Quick Fixes” ...things they can do in the next 2 years.

The only thing they think deserves a ‘quick fix’ is:

Reducing Borough Drive from two lanes each way to one lane each way.

- Paint out part of the street as a dedicated bikeway;
- Pour concrete curbs that stick out into the road and frame the few left over parking spaces.

That’s it.

This city spends hundreds of millions of dollars each year on our transportations system. All we get for the next two years is reducing the number of lanes on Borough Drive!

Do you have some suggestions? What could the city spend a few dollars on to help you get around and through our Scarborough Centre?

On foot.	On a Bike if you have one.
By TTC.	By car.

Here’s a couple that occur to me:

1. How about putting in a traffic signal at Grangeway and Ellesmere so people can turn left safely...take some of the load off McCowan.
2. How about giving us back our centre left turn lane from Ellesmere from McCowan to Markham Road?

This will be considered by our Councillor Glenn DeBaeremaeker and the other members of Scarborough Community Council on May 2nd.

Tell Glenn what you think:



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