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Subject: LRT

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Subject: RE: LRT

Dear sirs/madams:

It is great to hear that LRT is starting to come off the rails; By which I mean that the serious concerns shared far and wide by Hamiltonians are beginning to be taken notice of by the powers that be! - municipal and provincial.

The spur is gone, the costs are mounting, the traffic problems are becoming ridiculous--especially with the idea of the Longwood rail-yard--seeing that this would tie up not only Main Street but also Longwood, both axes of the most important intersection in West Hamilton, and the only traffic connector to the west end.

Let's cut through all the mess, and go back to square one; put politics aside and look at what is practical, affordable, and sensible for the city of Hamilton.

And the answer to that looks to be busses - - or at any rate not LRT.

Sincerely yours,

PS beware of Metrolinx--they just spend our money.

And Mr Major, don't bother to send me your opinion again . . . I already know that!

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