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Subject: Keep Aberdeen Moving

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I am submitting my opposition to the proposed reduction of lanes on Aberdeen Avenue. As a resident of the southwest for over 20 years, I believe I can say with certainty that this proposal is both dangerous and poorly thought out. Frankly, I do not think it has been thought out at all. Everything that the Keep Aberdeen Moving statement of reasons not to reduce the lanes, is clearly valid to anyone who lives in the neighbourhood. It does not take a rocket scientist to see the negative outcomes of such an action. I would ask that you send me the rationale for this decision and the study that was made to justify such a poorly thought out plan. You appear to be willing to create a nightmare regarding traffic and the dangerous spin off effects with either a reckless disregard for safety or some misguided or misinformed belief that you are making an improvement. I travel Aberdeen Avenue numerous times every day from my home on Chedoke Avenue, and before that on Hillcrest for over 20 years, and know without a doubt that this plan is impractical and will lead to traffic chaos.

You have a chance to terminate this incredibly poorly thought out plan or turn a blind eye to the reality and make a dangerous and doomed plan a reality.

Please stop this plan.

Brett and Zena Dalton