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## Subject:

Aberdeen lane changes

From: Patty Leggat Sent: Thursday, August 27, 2020 10:36 AM To: clerk@hamilton.ca Subject: re: Aberdeen lane changes

I am begging you to reconsider the idea of changing Aberdeen. There are so many reasons why this is not a good idea at all. You may decide you are solving one problem (debatable at best) but you are initiating a dozen other problems which could end up being much more serious.

What about the thousands of people with children who live off of Aberdeen? Many streets are narrow. Have you even considered how this is going to impact their lives? It appears that you are only worried about Aberdeen!!!

You know very well that cars will be doing everything possible to avoid jammed traffic on Aberdeen if these changes go through. Cars will be racing up and down all the side streets trying to find a quicker way around the traffic. Do you think these drivers will even consider the children on those streets, or are they just focused on a faster way to work. You know the answer. The side streets DO NOT deserve to be put in such a position by you people only worrying about ONE street.

I live on a dead end street and I KNOW EXACTLY what it is like when traffic gets backed up on the Queen Street hill. Cars FLY up and down our street searching for an alternate route, so don't tell me that this isn't going to happen because it will. My heart breaks for all the people living on those side streets for what you are planning to do to them. It is absolutely not fair.

Please reconsider this awful plan. Roy and Patty Leggat

\*\*\*Next time Queen Street hill is backed up come up to Braemar Place and witness first hand the number of cars which fly up and down our street looking for an alternate route and I'm sure then you will see what is wrong with your plan first hand!!!