

October 27, 2005

Dear Members of the Community:

TWRC is in the process of making improvements and additions to the very popular Martin Goodman trail from Marilyn Bell Park in the west to Leslie Street in the east. These improvements are part of TWRC's commitment to build a continuous waterfront promenade across the central waterfront.

The first phase of the work is underway, and includes trail improvements from Marilyn Bell Park to Coronation Park in the west around Leslie Street in the east. This phase of the work will be complete by the end of 2007. An introductory public Open House was held in July 2005 to outline the type of trail improvements that are being proposed including repairing particularly bad sections of the trail and filling in missing gaps in the trail system. This meeting also provided an opportunity to solicit and encourage valuable public input into the planning and design of this important waterfront connection.

As part of an ongoing public consultation program associated with the trail improvement initiative, we would like to invite you to the next Waterfront Trail Public Forum. The purpose of the meeting is to provide an update on the overall strategy, the progress that is being made on Leslie Street and the detailed plans for the Marilyn Bell Park waterfront promenade scheduled for construction in the spring of 2006 and to be complete for the International Dragon Boat Federation World Championships that is being held there in August 2006. The Waterfront Public Forum is scheduled for:

Wednesday, November 23rd, 2005 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. Salon 103, National Trade Centre Exhibition Place 100 Princes' Blvd Toronto,ON M6K3C3

This meeting will be split into two parts, starting with an open house from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m., followed by a presentation and facilitated discussion from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

We look forward to seeing you on November 23rd. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please visit our website at <u>www.towaterfront.ca</u> or contact:

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Sincerely,

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