

Councillor Peter Hume
110 Laurier Avenue West
Ottawa, Ontario K1P 1J1

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Dear Councillor Hume,

The Riverview Park Community Association (RPCA) Planning and Development Committee is aware that several local residents have contacted you and city officials regarding concerns about vehicles speeding through the neighborhood, particularly as they approach the intersection of Knox Crescent and Acton Street (from both directions).

We understand that there have been several near-misses involving young children and that several family pets have been struck by vehicles. We are pleased to know that a sidewalk is planned along Acton and that a study is being carried out to assess the situation on Knox and Acton and what steps might be taken to make this street safer.

We would like to go on record as supporting efforts to implement traffic calming measures that might enhance the safety of your constituents and other Ottawa residents. Any efforts that you may be able to undertake to advance this cause will be much appreciated.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Kris Nanda
Chair, Riverview Park Community Association Planning and Development Committee

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