

April 17, 2009

To: Property Owners of Alma Street Area

Dear Sir or Madam:

RE: Neighbourhood Traffic Calming Project

You are invited to a public meeting to discuss possibilities for traffic calming on Alma Street (Paisley Road to Waterloo Avenue).

Date: Monday, May 4, 2009
Time: 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Location: Paisley Road Public School
406 Paisley Road

Meeting Format:

This public meeting will be made up of two parts. The first thirty minutes will be a presentation by City staff presenting an overview of the traffic calming review process and traffic calming options, as well as an introduction of staff who will be working with the neighbourhood on the project.

During the second half of the meeting we will break into smaller groups. This will be a time for you – the residents – to let staff know what your traffic concerns are and what traffic calming measures you think might work. The information gathered during this time will play an important part in the traffic calming plan that staff develop for the area.

Background:

This traffic calming review was initiated by residents of Alma Street a number of years ago. In September 2008, city staff conducted a survey of Alma Street residents to determine if there was still interest in conducting a full traffic calming review. The survey results did not meet the necessary support level required to proceed with a review. However, some residents took the initiative to circulate a petition to the neighbourhood. Based on the results of the petition, there is adequate support from residents to continue with a traffic calming review. Therefore we will be continuing the traffic calming process with a public meeting.

We encourage as many residents as possible to attend this public meeting, as it will provide an opportunity for residents and staff to share and discuss information. If you are unable to attend, please feel free to contact me for more information regarding this traffic calming review.

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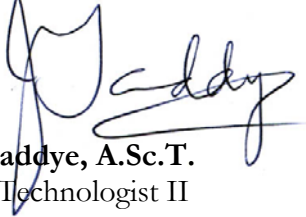
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Should you have further questions, please contact me at 519.822.1260 x2040 or by email at John.Gaddye@guelph.ca

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John Gaddye". The signature is stylized, with the first name "John" written in a large, looped cursive font, and the last name "Gaddye" written in a smaller, more compact cursive font.

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