



# Save Bloor Subcommittee - UPDATE

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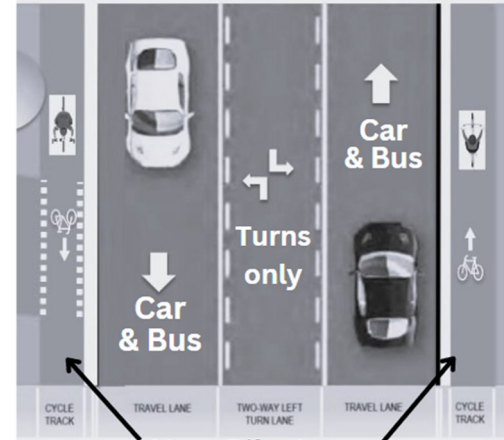
**BLOOR STREET TO BE REDUCED TO 1 CAR LANE EACH DIRECTION WITH A MIDDLE TURNING LANE**

**SAVE BLOOR!**  
**VOTE JUNE 10<sup>th</sup> FOR**  
**A CANDIDATE WHO**  
**SUPPORTS KEEPING**  
**4 CAR LANES!**

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Traffic Study completed in 2021 was for 4 lanes, NOT 3 LANES.



New Bike Lanes

## CONCERNS

### • GREATER TRAFFIC CONGESTION!

- The 4 years of Dundas Rapid Bus Way construction from 2026-2030 will redirect traffic to Bloor Street and Burnhamthorpe
- Bloor should only be redesigned AFTER Dundas for Bus Rapid Transit construction is completed & impact on traffic is studied.
- No traffic study was done for the 3 lane conversion to Bloor. (Study completed for 4 lanes only!)
- Increase in density and traffic from 13 NEW Buildings in the area was not considered or factored into decision.

### • Safety issues

- EMERGENCY vehicle delays
- Possible head-on collisions in the middle lane
- increased traffic to Burnhamthorpe, Markland Dr, Fieldgate, Havenwood, Rathburn, and all side streets as people avoid Bloor and the 4 years of Metrolinx's Dundas construction.

### • Preliminary street design shows

- Removal of approx. 5 bus stops
- Only 6 bus pullovers planned; traffic will be held up behind buses as they pickup/drop passengers
- Recommendation for RIGHT TURN IN/ RIGHT TURN OUT ONLY for ALL BUILDINGS between Havenwood and Fieldgate, and Applewood Hills Plaza and Fieldgate Plaza!

### • Service vehicle delays (ex. Garbage trucks /Bell Repair)

# CURRENT MAYORAL CANDIDATES' POSITIONS ON REMOVING 2 LANES FOR TRAFFICE ON BLOOR STREET

## SUPPORTS keeping 4 car lanes (no lane reductions); wants to review designs

- **Dipika Damerla** – Will make a Motion to Council to review & stop design A6; has committed verbally and in writing, + has signed the SaveBloor petition
- **Stephen Dasko** – Will make a Motion to Council to review BIP design A6 even if NOT elected Mayor: has committed verbally and in writing
- **George Tavares** - Will make a Motion to council to review BIP design A6; has committed verbally and in writing
- **David Shaw** - Will make a Motion to Council to review BIP design A6; has committed verbally and in writing
- **Brian Crombie** – Will make a Motion to Council to review BIP design A6; has committed verbally

## AGAINST keeping 4 car lanes on Bloor (wants to remove 2 car lanes)

- **Carolyn Parrish** –Does NOT want to reopen discussion of Bloor Street project with Council
- **Alvin Tedjo** - supports lane reduction and make Bloor a 2-lane roadway with a centre turning lane

YOUR VOTE COUNTS ON JUNE 10!  
TELL CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR  
TO SAVE BLOOR ST!

NO. DON'T REMOVE  
2  LANES

YES TO  LANES

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GET OUT AND VOTE FOR A NEW  
MAYOR JUNE 10, 2024

EVERY VOTE MATTERS

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