

Hon. Peter Kent, P.C., MP Thornhill, ON



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Thanks for taking the time to share your concerns on the MetroLinx Option 3 for the Yonge Subway North.

I, too, believe the subway should remain on the original Yonge Street route. The costs of this project have soared because of political procrastination but, I believe the savings proposed through the loss of two stations and the route change are short-sighted. And, in response to your rhetorical question to me, I would not want a subway under my home. While I respect the rights of the cemetery, I also respect the rights of living residents.

I agree with Councillor Keith Irish that it is inconceivable that not only are the residents of this established residential neighborhood denied a subway station but, they are asked to accept tunnelling under their homes.

The good news is, there will be public hearings and ample opportunity for comment on the project.

I look forward to the eventual opportunity at these hearings to address these issues with my provincial and municipal counterparts.

Sincerely,

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