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**To:** Regular Board, January 26, 2023

**From:** Teresa Lubinski, Trustee Ward 4

**Subject: Notice of Motion** - Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) Bus Issue For Students of St. Louis Elementary School And Bishop Allen Academy Along Royal York Road

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**MOVED by: Teresa Lubinski, Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB), seconded by Trustee Morrison**

**WHEREAS:** It has become apparent and imperative that the TCDSB addresses the student travelling issues of St. Louis Elementary School and Bishop Allen Academy (nearly 1700 students), using the same TTC bus route twice daily along Royal York Road;

**WHEREAS:** Two public school board high school students (1100 students) also use the same bus route during the same time as the TCDSB schools;

**WHEREAS:** The students experience crushing, crowding, pushing, stepped on, shoved and shouted at, as there is not enough space on the buses that also include community travellers. Travelling to and from school has become a serious concern for all TTC travellers;

**WHEREAS:** Many students that use the above-mentioned bus route have special needs and struggle to get on the bus; and

**WHEREAS:** The Mayor of Toronto stated this week that "We're facing a mental health crisis in Canada and we're seeing the effects of it in Toronto every day," the TCDSB must protect its students as best as possible.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:** The Director and the Chair of the Board write a letter to the Chief Executive Officer of the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) asking to consider providing additional buses or longer/larger busses for Route #s 76A, 76B and 15 Evans, to accommodate the peak student travelling hours in the morning and after school.

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