



### Request for Transportation Standing Committee

x <b>Included on Agenda</b>	<b>Added Item</b>	<b>Request from the Floor</b>
(Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Thursday)	(Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Monday)	

**Date of Council Meeting: May 24, 2012**

**Subject: Request to Review truck route traffic on Kearney Lake Road and reduce or remove its existing designation as a Truck Route.**

**Motion for the Committee to Consider:** The Transportation Standing Committee request staff review to further restrict or eliminate Kearney Lake Road as a truck route (local truck traffic only) with consideration to seek alternative route/s for truck traffic.

**Reason:**

Kearney Lake Road experiences a high volume of truck traffic with trucks often travelling over the speed limit.

Truck traffic does not always comply with the truck route designated times from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Increasing traffic and safety concerns from ongoing local area residential and commercial development including Royale Hemlock Estates, Bedford South/Wentworth Estates, Bedford West, Clayton Park West/Bayers Lake development, future Rockingham South, Sisters of Charity lands, and other new development off the Bedford Highway is increasing vehicular traffic, speeding, Kearney Lake Road visibility issues and blind crests, the presence of a local school (zone), day cares on Kearney Lake Road, and increasing number of pedestrians, the extension of Larry Uteck Blvd and new Hwy 102 Larry Uteck interchange opening, also consider the future Larry Uteck West connector.

**Outcome Sought:** Support of the Transportation Standing Committee for staff to review local Truck Route designation of Kearney Lake Road, and report back to the Committee.

Councillor Debbie Hum

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