

Applewood wants safety

Representatives from Mississauga's traffic safety council, the Peel Board of Education and the North Applewood Homeowners will meet to discuss improvements in pedestrian safety for Westacres Public School students.

The residents asked the city safety council for aid in improving the walking route to Westacres.

Applewood Public School has been closed and many young children will now walk almost two miles to school, the parents say. They are concerned that most of the streets have no sidewalks.

The community has proposed reducing the walking distance by using potential shortcuts. They include the Ontario hydro right-of-way, and an ease-

neighborhoods

ment over private property which would reduce the distance.

The city's safety council recommended its inspection committee meet with

three local ratepayers. Peel Board of Education transportation officer Enid Britten and ward 7 school board trustee Bruce Robertson to discuss the problem.

committee can review the safety of the intersection and decide if a permanent crossing guard is required.

The safety council also recommended that signs warning of school crosswalks be erected on Council Ring Road near Ash Row Crescent and Shadbrush Court, and on Folkway Drive near Glen Erin Drive.

Guard for Erin Mills

The city's traffic safety council has recommended improvements to aid pedestrian safety in Erin Mills South.

At its last meeting, the council recommended that a crossing guard be placed at the intersection of Glen Erin Drive and Burnhamthorpe Road when school resumes. The guard will be a precaution until the council's site inspection

Lakeview gets study

The city's traffic safety council will undertake an inspection in September to determine if a crossing guard is warranted at the intersection of Northaven Drive and Hartsdale Avenue in Lakeview.

The engineering department has also been asked to consider installing four-way stop signs at the intersection. The examination follows a complaint by a neighbor in the area.

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