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May 16, 2006

Mayor David Miller
City of Toronto
Toronto City Hall
100 Queen Street West
Toronto, ON M5H 2N2

Dear Mayor Miller:

Re: Toronto Public Library – A Vision for Branch Open Hours

At the January 16, 2006 meeting of the Toronto Public Library Board, the Board received *"The Best Thing a Library Can Be is Open": Update on Branch Open Hours* report for information. The purpose of the report was to update the Board on the status of branch open hours, recent developments and directions for future consideration. In essence, it provided a vision for branch open hours intended to initiate a process of discussion, consultation and review that will result in a long-range plan for change.

Please accept this letter as an official request for the Toronto Public Library Board to make a brief presentation at the Policy and Finance Committee meeting scheduled for Tuesday, June 20 regarding Toronto Public Library – A Vision for Branch Open Hours.

We look forward to this opportunity to share our plans for the future.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William Booth".

William Booth
Chair, Toronto Public Library Board

c: Shirley Hoy
City Manager

Patsy Morris, Committee Administrator
Policy and Finance Committee

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