



The Kanata Seniors Council Inc.
2500 Campeau drive
Kanata, ON K2K 2W3

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Peggy Feltmate
Councillor Ward 4
City of Ottawa
110 Laurier Avenue West
Ottawa, ON K1P 1J1

Dear Peggy,

As you are aware the Kanata Seniors Centre is located at the back of the Mlacak Centre in what can be termed as a "not pedestrian friendly" environment. This is particularly the case in the winter time. The main problem is the long walk from the bus stop on Campeau Drive. In the summer and in nice weather seniors now walk across the grass to connect to the Seniors Centre. In the winter this is not possible as the area is not cleared of snow and ice.

This problem has been a continuing one and was mentioned to Mayor Chiarelli by Dee Campbell (our past Chair) during his visit to the Seniors Centre. He indicated that he would do something about the problem. So far we have seen no indication of any on action on this matter.

What we are talking about is roughly 20 metres of asphalt walkway as shown in the attached photo/diagram. This would connect the existing asphalt sidewalk on Campeau with the paved parking lot by Mlacak.

Surely this would not break the City budget. We consider this to be a safety issue and we hope that you can urge City staff to make this happen without delay.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Peter van Boeschoten", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Peter van Boeschoten
President

Attachment: Map/diagram

CC: Mayor Chiarelli

Proposed location of new pathway to service the Kanata Seniors' Centre

