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Dear City Resident:

I would like to take this opportunity to update you on the road closures that will be in place for the 33rd annual Ottawa Race Weekend.

On Saturday May 26, 2007 the Queen Elizabeth Driveway, including Pretoria Bridge, will be closed from the Cartier Drill Hall to Lakeside Drive from 4:00pm to approximately 7:30pm. Elgin Street will also be closed from 4:00pm to 6:50pm from Laurier south to Catherine. Traffic will be allowed to cross Elgin at all cross streets from points east or west of Elgin during this time. Crossover traffic will be stopped for only a brief period during the start of the race at 6:30pm. This may entail a five-minute delay at some intersections. Elgin Street will be completely open at approximately 6:50pm. We anticipate a large spectator crowd along Elgin for the start of the races on May 26, 2007

On Sunday May 27, 2007, Queen Elizabeth Drive, including Pretoria Bridge, will be closed from 5:30am to 2:00pm. Elgin Street will be closed from Lisgar north to Wellington from 5:00am to 11:00am

We appreciate your support of this large event that benefits many charities including our own Ottawa Hospital. We trust the inconvenience will be minimal and the Police and volunteer marshals will be on hand to provide workable solutions. We encourage you to come out and cheer on the many participants.

Sincerely,

Jim Robinson General Manager





