

Brampton Safety Council Site Inspection Report

Date: June 7, 2023 – Ward 4

School/Location: Eldorado Public School, 40 Olivia Marie Road

Principal: Brad Teeter

Time(s): 7.45 a.m. and 2.45 p.m.

Phone: 905-456-7690

Weather: Sunny

Requested By: Serene Haugh, Brampton resident

Nature of Problem: Crossing guard request at Financial Dr. and Olivia Marie Rd.

Observers Present: Charles Gonsalves, Citizen Member (A.M.); Don Harberer, Citizen Member (A.M); Will Davies, Trustee (A.M/P.M); Margaret Laramore, Crossing Guard Team Lead (A.M./P.M.); Satvir Dhaliwal, Citizen Member (P.M.)

- 1. Financial Drive is a 4 lane road running south/north, with sidewalk located on both sides of the street.
- 2. Olivia Marie Road is a 2 lane road running east/west, there are sidewalks on this street. The speed limit is 50 km/hr. on both roads in the vicinity of the intersection.
- 3. At the intersection of Financial Dr. and Olivia Marie Rd. there are traffic signals with enhanced crosswalk pavement markings on all legs of the intersection. There are signs indicating how to use the pedestrian push button to activate a walk signal on all corners.
- 4. In the morning 8 students crossed Financial Dr. mostly with parents and they had sufficient time to cross with no conflicts with vehicular traffic and 8 students crossed at Olivia Marie Rd., also with no difficulty.
- 5. In the afternoon 18 students crossed Financial Dr. without difficulty or conflicts with vehicular traffic.

Recommendations:

- 1. That the Site Inspection for report Eldorado Public School, be received;
- 2. That, in an effort to encourage Active Transportation to and from school, the Principal contact their designated Peel Health Nurse to participate in the School Travel Plan Program in Peel; and
- 3. That a crossing guard is not warranted at the intersection of Financial Drive and Olivia Marie Road.