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Build transit right the first time

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Re: A victory for transit in city core,

Letter Feb. 2

Many thanks to Hamish Wilson for pointing out the gross foolishness being perpetrated on the citizens of Toronto and the suburbs, who deserve better transit options.

The current environmental assessment (EA) for the Air Rail Link will not study all the options available – many of which are far better than the one currently proposed – because it does not have to.

Shortened EAs, like the one that will be used on the Georgetown Corridor upgrade and the Air Rail Link, will not allow citizens to be fully engaged and to express concerns to our government except on a surface level.

There will be no true assessment because decisions have already been made, ones that will affect transit in the GTA for many, many years to come. Build it right the first time – leave a legacy worth spending \$800 million on. Make it world class instead of the laughing stock.

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