

PARKWAY PRESERVATION NOTES FOR 10/27/10 SCOPING MEETING

The parkway should remain between Niagara Falls, Lewiston and Youngstown

1. It is an economic engine
2. Removal will create a gap and resentment among communities
3. Three important studies recommend a Niagara Gorge Roadway between Niagara Falls and Lewiston
4. Fall foliage along the Parkway is outstanding
5. Disabled people and seniors love the Parkway drive and views
6. Visitors are in awe of the views of the Power Plant, Lewiston Queenston Bridge, Lake Ontario and Toronto
7. More than 10 State Parks are accessed by the Parkway, Lake Road and Ontario State Parkway between Niagara Falls and Rochester
8. Parkway serves as a link to Route 104, the Wine Trail, Farmers Market, Seneca Golf Course and Lockport Locks, and further link us to Route 18 to Wilson Harbor, Olcott Beach and Somerset
9. The current direct route is also important for the Village of Youngstown. It supports the Level Regatta, major summer soccer tournaments and Old Fort Niagara
10. Current direct route for emergency vehicles servicing Memorial Hospital
11. The Lower Niagara River region has had 20 million dollars of investment since 2000 and a large portion was provided by government grants and significant capital from private enterprise.
12. The new reconfigured parkway should be a visitor attraction similar to Ontario's Niagara Parkway

Lewiston Road as the Parkway

1. Consider Maple Avenue School
2. Deveaux Little League
3. Additional traffic at Niagara University
4. Pedestrian Safety including children walking to school
5. Additional vehicle traffic could create need for more lights
6. Congestion at Mt. View Dr
7. Already busy intersection at Lewiston Road & Military Road
8. Increased traffic on Lewiston Hill which has a multitude of large trucks
9. Main entrance to Our Lady of Peace
10. Proximity to Lewiston Queenston Bridge

What does Lewiston Landing offer

Fishing & Boating

Jet Boat Tours

Dining

Hotel accommodations

Freedom Crossing Monument

What else

Artpark

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