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**MEMORANDUM TO:** Senior Business Officials

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**SUBJECT:** Active Transportation Feasibility Study

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*Achieving Excellence*, the government's renewed vision for education includes promoting well-being as one of four interconnected goals for the education system. In 2014, the ministry provided funding support to Green Communities Canada (GCC) to lead and conduct a feasibility study to review the implementation of the School Travel Planning (STP) model at a school board level. The intent of this study was to provide resources and an updated STP Toolkit for school boards who may be considering active transportation programs. The feasibility study was conducted in two communities (Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph and the City of Toronto) with support from local school boards, transportation consortia, and other municipal stakeholders.

The ministry is pleased to share with you Green Communities Canada's final report. School boards and consortia can access the [School Travel Planning in the City of Toronto & Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph Final Report](#) and the accompanying [School Travel Planning Benefit-Cost Report for Toronto & Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph](#) through the following link: <http://www.saferoutestoschool.ca/galleries/research-and-results#>.

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cc: Directors of Education  
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