



invites you to a Special Forum

What's the Story with the **Google** Toronto Sidewalk Lab Project?

Wednesday Dec. 12 - 5:30pm

Doors open at 5 pm.
Light refreshments available

Steelworkers' Hall

25 Cecil St, Toronto (College and Beverley)
Wheelchair Accessible

Sidewalk Toronto, an Alphabet subsidiary, plans to experiment with a 'Smart City' high-tech neighbourhood on Toronto's waterfront. Their goal is to create people-centred, mixed-use neighbourhoods that achieve precedent-setting levels of sustainability, affordability, mobility, and economic opportunity.

However, there are a much wider range of issues that deserve our attention.

This experiment could have a dramatic impact on jobs, equity, public services, transportation, local bylaws, housing and more.

It's a turning point for Toronto. Will projects driven by private interests define our future? Are there ways that we can organize and use planning tools like community benefits agreements to build an alternative urban future that we want to see for this City? This will be an opportunity to hear more about Sidewalk Toronto plans and learn about the work that community is doing to ensure that this development includes:

- decent jobs with living wages and benefits
- social and economic equality for all
- the protection of personal information and restriction of use of data
- affordable housing

Join us for a discussion with Nasma Ahmed from the Digital Justice Lab, Kumsa Baker from the Toronto Community Benefits Network and Chair of ACORN - East York Chapter, Alejandra Ruiz Vargas.

Good Jobs for All is an alliance of community, labour, social justice, youth and environmental organizations in the Toronto region. It was formed in 2008 to start a focused dialogue on how to improve living and working conditions in this City