

STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Parking Prohibition: Findlay Boulevard, east of Banting Avenue

Date:	February 27, 2007
То:	North York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, North York District
Wards:	Ward 10 - York Centre
Reference Number:	p:\2007\ClusterB\TRA\NorthYork\nycc07031tsny (AFS 4363)

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter that the Community Council has delegated authority to make a final decision [provided that it is not amended so that it varies with City policy or by-laws].

To obtain approval to prohibit parking from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday to Friday on the north side of Findlay Boulevard from a point 29 metres east of the easterly limit of Banting Avenue to a point 92 metres east thereof.

The implementation of the parking prohibition will address the residents concern pertaining to motorists parking daily on the north side of Findlay Boulevard.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services, North York District recommends that:

1. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to prohibit parking from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday to Friday on the north side of Findlay Boulevard from a point 29 metres east of the easterly limit of Banting Avenue to a point 92 metres east thereof; and,

2. the appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take whatever action deemed necessary to implement the foregoing including the introduction in Council on any bills that are required.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

All costs associated with the amendment of the parking regulations are included within the Transportation Services Division, North York District's 2007 Operating Budget estimates.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services, North York District, was requested by Councillor Michael Feldman, on behalf of the residents on the north side of Findlay Boulevard between 41 and 51 Findlay Boulevard to review the feasibility of prohibiting parking from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday to Friday in front of their homes.

The residents have indicated that commuters using public transit are parking daily in front of their homes and in doing so encroach over their driveways and restrict visibility for motorists exiting the driveways.

COMMENTS

Currently, parking is prohibited on the north side of Findlay Boulevard from the easterly limit of Banting Avenue to a point 29 metres east thereof. Parking is also prohibited at anytime on the south and west sides of Findlay Boulevard from the easterly limit of Banting Avenue to the northerly limit of Reiner Road.

Our observations have confirmed that vehicles are parked daily on the north side of Findlay Boulevard, east of Banting Avenue. Our review has also indicated that these vehicles restrict visibility for motorists entering and exiting driveways on this section of Findlay Boulevard.

Councillor Michael Feldman has indicated his support to amend the existing parking regulations as indicated above.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment: Map – Findlay Boulevard, Parking Prohibitions (nycc07031tsny_map)