



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Parking Regulations: Claver Avenue and Cork Avenue

Date:	June 11, 2007
To:	North York Community Council
From:	Acting Director, Transportation Services, North York District
Wards:	Ward 15 - Eglinton Lawrence
Reference Number:	p:\2007\ClusterB\TRA\nycc07061tsny (5341)

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 amend parking prohibitions on Claver Avenue and on Cork Avenue in order to facilitate short-term on-street parking for Canada Post Office employees.

The amendments to the parking regulations on Cork Avenue and Claver Avenue, east of Dufferin Street, will facilitate on-street parking for Canada Post employees before 10:00 a.m.

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 delete the No Parking 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, prohibition on the north side of Cork Avenue from the east limit of Dufferin Street to the west limit of Cork Avenue;
2. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to delete the No Parking 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, prohibition on the north side of Claver Avenue from the east limit of Dufferin Street to a point 60 metres east thereof;

3. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to delete the No Parking Anytime prohibition on the south side of Claver Avenue from the east limit of Dufferin Street to a point 91 metres east thereof;
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4. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to prohibit parking from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the north side of Cork Avenue from the east limit of Dufferin Street to a point 70 metres east thereof;
5. 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 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the north side of Cork Avenue from a point 70 metres east of the east limit of Dufferin Street to the east limit of Cork Avenue;
6. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to prohibit parking from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the south side of Claver Avenue from the east limit of Dufferin Street to a point 60 metres east thereof;
7. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to prohibit parking at anytime on the south side of Claver Avenue from a point 60 metres east of the east limit of Dufferin Street to a point 31 metres east thereof;
8. Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, be amended to prohibit parking from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the north side of Claver Avenue from the east limit of Dufferin Street to a point 60 metres east thereof;
and
9. the appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take whatever action is deemed necessary to implement the foregoing including the introduction in Council on any bill that are required.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

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

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services, North York District, was requested by Councillor Howard Moscoe on behalf of staff at Canada Post Station "T", to review the feasibility of amending the parking regulations on Claver Avenue and Cork Avenue. According to Canada Post, their employees are requesting that they be permitted to park their vehicles on these sections of Claver Avenue and Cork Avenue in the vicinity of Postal Station "T".

COMMENTS

Currently, parking is prohibited during the day on both sides of Cork Avenue and Claver Avenue, east of Dufferin Street. The on-site parking at Postal Station “T” cannot accommodate the amount of short-term parking required by letter carriers picking up the mail.

This division has verified the concerns of Canada Post that due to the short-term parking demand prior to 10:00 a.m. on weekdays by employees picking up mail, the existing on-site parking facility is inadequate. In this regard, this division supports the amendments to the existing parking regulations to facilitate on-street parking prior to 10:00 a.m., Monday to Friday.

Councillor Howard Moscoe has advised that his office has petitioned the affected residents and the majority of the residents are in favour of amending the parking regulations on Claver Avenue and Cork Avenue. Councillor Moscoe has also indicated his support to amend the parking regulations as indicated above.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment: Map – Claver Avenue and Cork Avenue, Parking Regulations
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