

STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Proposed Minor Street Stop Signs at Three New Intersections in the Highland Creek Neighbourhood

Date:	December 22, 2006
To:	Scarborough Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards:	Ward 44 – Scarborough East
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SUMMARY

This report describes the need to create traffic by-laws for existing temporary stop sign locations within a new subdivision in the Highland Creek Neighbourhood. These intersections are Bazalgette Drive at Cosens Street, Bellew Gate at Cosens Street and Bellew Gate at Scarboro Avenue. An enacting by-law is required to allow for proper enforcement of the respective traffic signs under the Highway Traffic Act.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services, Scarborough District, recommends that:

- 1. The "Compulsory Stops" and "Heavy Truck Prohibition" regulations, as identified in Appendix 1 of this report, be adopted.
- 2. The appropriate by-laws be amended.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no cost to the City at this time.

The developer of these new streets is responsible for funding the installation of these stop signs as outlined in the Subdivision Agreement with the City. Similarly, the developer, is also responsible for funding the installation of "No Heavy Truck" signs.

DECISION HISTORY

Further to the development of a new subdivision in the Highland Creek Neighbourhood, Transportation Services staff reviewed the locations of three developer-installed (temporary) minor street stop signs. To legitimize these controls the appropriate traffic by-laws should be created.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

The Subdivision Agreement between the developer and the city stipulates that the developer is responsible for assorted costs, such as regulatory signs.

COMMENTS

A new subdivision in the Highland Creek Neighbourhood is located west of Meadowvale Road, north of Ellesmere Road, and has three new public street intersections. The developer has installed temporary minor street stop signs at the following locations:

- 1. Bazalgette Drive at Cosens Street.
- 2. Bellew Gate at Cosens Street.
- 3. Bellew Gate at Scarboro Avenue.

Transportation Services staff support the locations of these stop signs, which clearly define the appropriate right-of-way at these intersections.

In addition, as standard practice, all three roads in this subdivision will be by-lawed with a Heavy Truck prohibition.

The adoption of the traffic by-law amendments identified in the Appendices to this report will allow for proper enforcement of the respective traffic signs under the Highway Traffic Act.

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ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Appendix 1 By-law Amendment (enact)
- 2. Location Plan (Proposed Stop Signs Cosens Street Area)

Appendix 1

"Compulsory Stops" Regulation to be Enacted

Column 1Column 2IntersectionStop Street

Bazalgette Drive and Bazalgette Drive

Cosens Street

Bellew Gate and Bellew Gate

Cosens Street

Bellew Gate and Bellew Gate

Scarboro Avenue

"Heavy Truck Prohibition" Regulation to be Enacted

Column 1Column 2Column 3HighwayFromToTimes or Days

Bazalgette Drive Cosens Street North Limit of

Bazalgette Drive

Bellew Gate Cosens Street Scarboro Avenue Anytime

Cosens Street North Limit of South Limit of

Cosens Street Cosens Street

Anytime

Anytime