



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Parking Regulation Housekeeping on Crescentwood Road

Date:	March 17, 2008
To:	Scarborough Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards:	Ward 43 - Scarborough East
Reference Number:	P:\2008\Cluster B\TRA\Scarborough\sc08015 D08-248 Crescentwood Rd parking housekeeping

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter for which the Community Council has delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

This report on Crescentwood Road details the minor on-street parking regulation changes required to make the existing nightly parking prohibition enforceable and to update the street name used in the regulations.

Community Council's approval of the parking regulation amendment will allow enforcement by the Toronto Police Services.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Rescind the "No Parking" regulations, as identified in Appendix 1 of this report,
2. Adopt the "No Parking" regulations, as identified in Appendix 2 of this report, and
3. Amend the appropriate by-laws accordingly.

Financial Impact

The financial cost of changing the parking prohibitions recommended in this report is approximately \$2,000.00. The funding for these controls is available in the Transportation Services 2008 Operating Budget, within Cost Centre TP0226.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

There is currently a south side “No Parking Dusk to Dawn” prohibition along Crescentwood Road from Queensgrove Road to Kildonan Drive that has been in place for many years and is signed as such.

It has been determined that such a regulation may not be enforceable as the terms “dusk” and “dawn” may not provide sufficient clarity about the time limits of the prohibition, as it leaves the interpretation of what these terms mean and when they apply to individual vehicle drivers and parking enforcement officers.

In addition, the spelling of “Crescent Wood Road” for both regulations along Crescentwood Road is being updated to reflect the current legal street name. The other regulation relates to a “No Parking Anytime” prohibition along the northside of Crescentwood Road from Warden Avenue to White Birch Road, for which there will be no change in the actual parking regulation.

COMMENTS

The regulations will be amended to delete the reference to “Dusk to Dawn” and replace it with “7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.”, which is the usual time period for defining a nightly prohibition, and to use the current spelling of Crescentwood Road.

In summary, the amended parking regulations will allow parking prohibitions along Crescentwood Road to be enforceable.

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Appendix 1 – By-law Amendment (rescind)
2. Appendix 2 – By-law Amendment (enact)
3. Location Plan (Proposed Parking Regulations – Crescentwood Road)

Appendix 1

“No Parking” Regulations to be Rescinded

(In Column 1) Highway	(In Column 2) Side	(In Column 3) From	To	(In Column 4) Times or Days
Crescent Wood Road	South	Queensgrove Road	Kildonan Drive	Dusk to Dawn
Crescent Wood Road	North	Warden Avenue	White Birch Road	Anytime

Appendix 2

“No Parking” Regulations to be Enacted

(In Column 1) Highway	(In Column 2) Side	(In Column 3) From	To	(In Column 4) Times or Days
Crescentwood Road	South	Queensgrove Road	Kildonan Drive	7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.
Crescentwood Road	North	Warden Avenue	White Birch Road	Anytime