

Pay and Display Parking: Byng Avenue

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To:	North York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services Division, North York District
Wards:	Ward 23 – Willowdale
Reference Number:	<i>ny10109</i>

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 remove the current “No Parking Anytime” restrictions on the south side of Byng Avenue from Yonge Street to Doris Avenue to allow on-street Pay and Display Parking between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Monday to Saturday, and 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Sunday, at a rate of \$2.00 per hour, for a maximum parking period of 3 hours.

The installation of on-street Pay and Display parking on the south side of Byng Avenue will address the request for additional on-street parking in the area for residents and businesses.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services Division, North York District, recommends that North York Community Council:

1. Amend Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, to delete the prohibited parking at anytime on the south side of Byng Avenue from a point 29 metres east of the easterly limit of Yonge Street to the westerly limit of Kenneth Avenue;

2. Amend Schedule VIII of By-law No. 31001, of the former City of North York, to prohibit parking at anytime on the south side of Byng Avenue from the east limit of Doris Avenue to the west limit of Kenneth Avenue; and
3. Amend Chapter 910 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, to install Pay and Display parking on the south side of Byng Avenue from a point 15 metres east of Yonge Street to a point 15 metres west of Doris Avenue between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday, and 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sunday, at a rate of \$2.00 per hour, for a maximum period of 3 hours.

Financial Impact

The Toronto Parking Authority has advised that the cost to install new Pay and Display parking machines on Byng Avenue including changes to the appropriate signing is \$34,000.00. These funds are available in the Toronto Parking Authority's 2010 Pay and Display Machine Installation Program.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services Division, North York District, was requested by Councillor John Filion, on behalf of area residents, to review the feasibility of providing Pay and Display parking on the south side of Byng Avenue from a point 15 metres east of Yonge Street to a point 15 metres west of Doris Avenue.

COMMENTS

Currently, parking is prohibited at anytime on the south side of Byng Avenue from a point 29 metres east of the easterly limit of Yonge Street to the westerly limit of Kenneth Avenue, and on north side of Byng Avenue from the easterly limit of Yonge Street to the westerly limit of Kenneth Avenue.

The removal of the existing no parking at anytime restrictions on the south side of Byng Avenue and the installation of Pay and Display Parking machines will address the requests for additional on-street parking in the area for residents and businesses. The installation of Pay and Display Parking on the south side of Byng Avenue will not have a negative impact on the flow of two way traffic on Byng Avenue.

As such, this division supports the installation of Pay and Display Parking on the south side of Byng Avenue from Yonge Street to Doris Avenue.

Councillor John Filion supports the recommendations of this staff report.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map – Byng Avenue-Pay and Display Parking (*ny10109_map*)