Authority: Government Management Committee Item 7.9, adopted as amended,

by City of Toronto Council on September 21 and 22, 2011

Enacted by Council: February 7, 2012

CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 198-2012

To amend former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, to introduce a fixed fine system for parking tickets.

WHEREAS the June 13, 2011 Staff Report considered by City Council on September 21 and 22, 2011 referred to the fixed fine system provided in the *Highway Traffic Act* for speeding offences and recommended fixed fines for parking offences other than accessible parking offences; and

WHEREAS City Council, at its meeting of September 21 and 22, 2011, adopted as amended, the recommendations of the Government Management Committee that a Fixed Fine System for parking ticket offences, other than accessible parking offences, be implemented where a parking ticket proceeding results in a conviction after a defendant in court either pleads guilty or is found guilty;

The Council of the City of Toronto HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

- 1. Former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, is amended by inserting new Subsections (4) to (6), inclusive, in Section 400-11A as follows:
 - "(4) Every person who contravenes Section 400-42 of this Chapter is guilty of an offence.
 - (5) Despite Subsection 400-11A(1), the penalty to be imposed on every person convicted of parking a vehicle in contravention of Subsection 400-42 of this Chapter and the penalty to be imposed on every person convicted as owner of a vehicle parked in contravention of Subsection 400-42 of this Chapter shall be a fixed fine in the amount of \$30.00.
 - (6) Despite Subsection 400-11A(1) and notwithstanding Subsection 400-11A(5), the penalty to be imposed on every person convicted of parking a motorcycle in contravention of Subsection 400-42H(4) of this Chapter and the penalty to be imposed on every person convicted as owner of a motorcycle parked in contravention of Subsection 400-42H(4) of this Chapter shall be a fixed fine in the amount of \$40.00."
- 2. This by-law shall come into effect 30 days after approval of the first set fine order for former City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 400 subsequent to the enactment of this by-law.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 7th day of February, A.D. 2012.

FRANCES NUNZIATA,

Speaker

ULLI S. WATKISS,

City Clerk

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