71 Jane Street - Amendments to Parking Regulations

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To: Etobicoke York Community Council
From: Director, Transportation Services and Etobicoke York District
Wards: Ward 13, Parkdale High Park
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SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to propose an amendment to the existing parking regulations on Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street based on the results of Transportation Services staff investigation. The implementation of less restrictive parking regulations would allow pick-up and drop-off activities to occur at this location which are required to service the school.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that:

1. The existing parking prohibition from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., except Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays on the east side of Jane Street, between Annette Street and Bloor Street West, be rescinded;

2. The existing parking prohibition from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., on the east side of Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street, be rescinded;

3. Parking be prohibited from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., except Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays on the east side of Jane Street, between Annette Street and Weatherell Street and on the east side of Jane Street, between Bloor Street West and Rivercrest Road;

4. Parking be prohibited at other times on the east side of Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street; and
5. Parking be allowed for a maximum period of fifteen minutes, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday on the east side of Jane Street, from a point 17.4 metres north of Rivercrest Road to a point 98.6 metres further north.

Financial Impact

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 ISSUE BACKGROUND

Councillor Bill Saundercook, on behalf of an area resident, requested Transportation Services staff to review the feasibility of rescinding the parking prohibition on the east side of Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street to implement a maximum 15 minute parking regulation on the above mentioned section of Jane Street to allow parents to drop-off and pick-up their children from St. Pius X Catholic School.

COMMENTS

Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street is a four lane minor arterial road operating two-way with a posted speed limit of 50 km/h and a road width of 14.02 metres.

Parking is prohibited from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., except Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays and from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., daily on the east side of Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street. Permit parking is not in effect on Jane Street and parking is otherwise allowed for a maximum period of three hours at other times.

During school hours parents cannot find parking in the vicinity of the school and as a result, receive parking tickets for parking illegally in front of the school on Jane Street. This section of the street can accommodate parking for a maximum period of fifteen minutes, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday for parents dropping-off and picking-up their children from school. Parking would be prohibited at all other times.

Allowing parking for a maximum period of 15 minutes, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday on the east side of Jane Street, between Rivercrest Road and Weatherell Street will allow parents to drop-off and pick-up their children from St. Pius X Catholic School on Jane Street.
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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment No. 1: Map