STAFF REPORT
ACTION REQUIRED

Through Street Regulation Review – Island Road and Rouge Hills Drive

Date: September 21, 2012
To: Scarborough Community Council
From: Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards: Ward 44 – Scarborough East
Reference Number: P:\2012\Cluster B\TRA\Scarborough\sc1285
D12-4901559 Island Road through streets

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 staff report responds to a need to amend the through streets by-law for existing conditions on Island Road.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that Scarborough Community Council:

1. Rescind the through streets regulations, as identified in Appendix 1 of this report.

2. Enact the through streets and compulsory stops regulations, as identified in Appendix 2 of this report.

3. Pass or amend the appropriate by-law(s) accordingly.

Financial Impact
There is no financial impact associated with this report.

ISSUE BACKGROUND
As a result of a recent review, Transportation Services staff identified two all-way stop controls on Island Road that are not properly regulated.
COMMENTS
The following characteristics describe Island Road:

- Island Road is a two-lane collector road with a volume of 11,923 vehicles per day.
- It is located in the community south of Highway 401 and east of Port Union Road, within the Rouge Neighbourhood.
- All-Way Stop Controls exist on Island Road at East Avenue and on Island Road at Rouge Hills Drive.
- There are no sidewalks on both sides from East Avenue to the east limit of Island Road.
- The land uses in this area are single family residential with some commercial uses.

It is recommended that the through streets and compulsory stops bylaw regulations be amended to properly regulate the existing conditions. The All-Way Stop Control signage at the two intersections on Island Road would be unaffected.

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ATTACHMENTS
1. Appendix 1 – By-law Amendment (rescind)
2. Appendix 2 – By-law Amendment (enact)
3. Location Plan (Through Street Regulation Review – Island Road and Rouge Hills Drive)
Appendix 1

“Through Streets”
Regulations to be Rescinded

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Appendix 2

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Regulations to be Enacted

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"Compulsory Stops"
Regulations to be Enacted

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