Parking Prohibition: Gwendolen Crescent

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**SUMMARY**

This staff report is about a matter that 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 install No Parking Anytime, April 1 to October 31 at on the west side of Gwendolen Crescent between Gwendolen Avenue and Stuart Avenue.

The installation of the parking prohibition on Gwendolen Crescent will address concerns with respects to excessive parking during the summer months by patrons visiting the Gwendolen Park Tennis Club.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

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

1. Approve the installation of No Parking Anytime, April 1 to October 31 on the west side of Gwendolen Crescent between Gwendolen Avenue and Stuart Avenue.

**Financial Impact**

All costs associated with the parking prohibition are included within the Transportation Services 2013 Operating Budget.

**ISSUE BACKGROUND**
Transportation Services, North York District, was requested by the Ward Councillor to investigate the feasibility of prohibiting parking on the west side of Gwendolen Crescent in order to prohibit excessive parking by the patrons of the Gwendolen Park Tennis Club during the summer months.

COMMENTS

Gwendolen Crescent is classified as a local road with a posted speed limit of 40 km/h between Johnston Avenue and the south end of Gwendolen Crescent. There are no municipal sidewalks located on either side of the road.

Currently, parking is prohibited at anytime on both sides of Gwendolen Crescent between Gwendolen Avenue and the south end of Gwendolen Crescent and parking is permitted for a maximum duration of three hours on both sides between Gwendolen Avenue and Stuart Avenue.

Gwendolen Park Tennis Club is located at the south end of Gwendolen Crescent and does not have an on-site parking facility to accommodate patrons.

In order to address the residents concern regarding excessive parking during the summer months, it is recommended that parking be prohibited at all times from April 1 to October 31 on the west side of Gwendolen Crescent between Gwendolen Avenue and Stuart Avenue.

The above recommendation will also improve the flow of two-way traffic on Gwendolen Crescent.

The Ward Councillor supports the recommendation of this staff report.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map – Parking Pro: Gwendolen Cres (ny13106)