All Way Stop Control: Dumont Street and Newton Drive

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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 an All Way Stop Control at the intersection of Dumont Street and Newton Drive.

The installation of an All Way Stop Control at the intersection of Dumont Street and Newton Drive will address the existing right-of-way concerns for motorists and pedestrians at the intersection.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

1. Approve the installation of an All Way Stop Control at the intersection of Dumont Street and Newton Drive.

Financial Impact

All costs associated with the installation of an All Way Stop Control are included within the Transportation Services' 2013 Operating Budget.
ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services, North York District, was requested by residents to review the feasibility of implementing an All Way Stop Control at the intersection of Dumont Street and Newton Drive.

COMMENTS

Dumont Street is classified as a local road. Newton Drive is classified as a collector road. Both Dumont Street and Newton Drive have regulatory speed limits of 50 km/h.

Currently, east/westbound traffic on Newton Drive is required to stop at Dumont Street. There have been 3 reported collisions at this location during the preceding three years.

In assessing the warrant, staff observations have verified concerns that although there is a higher volume of traffic on Newton Drive it is actually Dumont Street that has the through right-of-way. Our observations have also verified that pedestrians on Newton Drive must cross Dumont Street unprotected by traffic control. The results of a study have indicated that the technical requirements for the installation of an All Way Stop Control have been satisfied.

In view of the above, Transportation Services recommends the installation of an All Way Stop Control at the intersection of Dumont Street and Newton Drive.

The Ward Councillor has been advised of the recommendation of this staff report.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map – AWSC: Dumont St and Newton Dr