



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Student Pick-Up/Drop-Off Area – Kippendavie Avenue

Date:	October 21, 2013
To:	Toronto and East York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services Toronto and East York District
Wards:	Beaches – East York, Ward 32
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SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter for which Toronto and East York Community Council has been delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

Transportation Services is requesting authority to change the times of the student pick-up/drop-off area on Kippendavie Avenue in front of Kew Beach Junior Public School, to accommodate all-day pick-up/drop-off activity. Currently parking is prohibited from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. on weekdays. We are proposing to allow parking from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. Also, the parking time limit will be increased to 15 minutes from the current 10 minutes. These changes will have a negligible impact on traffic operations.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that Toronto and East York Community Council:

1. Rescind the "No Parking, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m., 6:00 p.m. of one day to 7:30 a.m. of the next following day, Monday to Friday, Anytime Saturday, Sunday and public holidays" regulation on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between a point 9 metres south of Queen Street East and a point 91 metres further south.
2. Rescind the "No Parking Anytime" regulation on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between Queen Street East and a point 37 metres south.

3. Enact a "No Parking, 6:00 p.m. of one day to 7:30 a.m. of the next following day, Monday to Friday, Anytime Saturday, Sunday and public holidays" regulation on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between a point 9 metres south of Queen Street East and a point 91 metres further south.
4. Rescind the "10-minute parking, 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday" regulation on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between a point 9 metres south of Queen Street East and a point 91 metres further south.
5. Enact a "15-minute parking, 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday" regulation on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between a point 9 metres south of Queen Street East and a point 91 metres further south.

Financial Impact

Funding for the installation of signs in the estimated amount of \$500.00 is available within the Transportation Services 2013 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

At the request of Councillor Mary-Margaret McMahon, Transportation Services reviewed the feasibility of changing the times of the student pick-up/drop-off area on Kippendavie Avenue, in front of Kew Beach Junior Public School, in order to accommodate all day pick-up/drop-off activity.

COMMENTS

Kippendavie Avenue is a 7.4-metre wide, local roadway that runs one-way southbound from Queen Street East, just east of Woodbine Avenue. Kew Beach Public School is located on the east side of the road at No. 101 Kippendavie Avenue, just south of Queen Street East. There is no TTC service on Kippendavie Avenue.

The student pick-up/drop-off area is on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between a point nine metres south of Queen Street East and a point 91 metres south. Within this area parking is allowed for 10 minutes, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and from 3:15 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. Parking is prohibited at all other times in this area. (It is noted that there is a by-law prohibiting parking at all times on the east side of Kippendavie Avenue, between Queen Street East and a point 37 metres south, but this regulation is not signed and conflicts with the student pick-up/drop-off regulations, so is being rescinded.) On the west side of the road, opposite the pick-up/drop-off area, parking is prohibited during the day, allowed for three hours in the evening and by permit overnight.

The Principal of Kew Beach Junior Public School has advised that the school hours have changed, thereby necessitating changes to the times of the pick-up/drop-off area. Specifically, the pick-up/drop-off area needs to be in effect from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. Also, the parking time limit needs to be increased to 15 minutes. The proposed changes will have a negligible impact on traffic operations.

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(1) Drawing No. 421G-1226, dated October 2013

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