STAFF REPORT
ACTION REQUIRED

Parking Regulation Amendments – Earnscliffe Road

Date: July 15, 2014
To: Etobicoke York Community Council
From: Director, Transportation Services - Etobicoke York District
Wards: Ward 17 – Davenport
Reference Number: p:\2014\Cluster B\TRA\EtobicokeYork\eycc140128-to

SUMMARY
This staff report is about a matter that Community Council has delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

The purpose of this report is to obtain approval to amend the current parking regulations on Earnscliffe Road to improve parking and traffic operations as a result of pick-up/drop-off activities associated to Rawlinson Community School.

The proposed parking amendments will add additional spaces for parents when dropping off and picking up children from school.

RECOMMENDATIONS
Transportation Services recommends that Etobicoke York Community Council approve:

1. Rescinding the "15 Minute Permitted Parking from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., 11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and 3:15 p.m. to 6:15 p.m., Monday to Friday" regulation on the north side of Earnscliffe Road from a point 30 metres east of Glenholme Avenue and a point 57 metres east thereof.

2. Rescind the "No Parking Anytime" regulation on the north side of Earnscliffe Road from Glenholme Avenue to Oakwood Avenue.

3. Rescind the "One Hour Permitted Parking from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m." regulation on the south side of Earnscliffe Road from Glenholme Avenue to Oakwood Avenue.
4. Enacting a "15 Minute Permitted Parking from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.,
11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and 3:15 p.m. to 6:15 p.m., Monday to Friday" regulation on the north side of Earnscliffe Road from a point 15 metres east of Glenholme Avenue and a point 72 metres further east.

5. Enacting a "No Parking from 10:01 a.m. to 11:44 p.m., 1:01 p.m and to 3:14 p.m. and 6:16 p.m. of one day to 6:59 a.m. of the following day, Monday to Friday and Anytime Saturday and Sunday" regulations on the north side of Earnscliffe Road point 15 metres east of Glenholme Avenue and a point 72 metres further east.

6. Enacting a "No Parking Anytime" regulation on the north side of Earnscliffe Road from a point 72 metres east of Glenholme Avenue to Oakwood Avenue.

Financial Impact

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ISSUE BACKGROUND

As a result of a request from the area Councillor, and concerns from the Principal of Rawlinson Community School, Transportation Services staff was requested to review Earnscliffe Road parking regulations and create additional spaces in the existing student pick-up/drop-off zone in the proximity of school. A map of the area is Attachment 1.

COMMENTS

Earnscliffe Road is an 8.5 metres wide, two-way local road located west of Oakwood Avenue, north of St Clair Avenue West. The posted speed limit is 40 km/h and sidewalks exist on both sides of the street.

Parking on the south side of Earnscliffe Road, between Glenholme Avenue and Oakwood Avenue is subject to the City's 3-hour parking maximum. Overnight permit parking also exists in this area.

Rawlinson Community School is located on the northeast side of the Earnscliffe Road and Glenholme Avenue intersection. The school entrance is located on the north side of Earncliffe Road. Currently, there is a student pick-up/drop-off in front of the school (15 minute maximum); however additional spaces have been requested.

To accommodate the additional spaces, the existing student pick-up/drop off zone will be altered from a point 30 metres east of Glenholme Avenue, to start from a point 15 metres east of Glenholme Avenue on Earnscliffe Road. This alteration will accommodate approximate 2 to 3 vehicles and allow parents to drop-off/pick up their children abutting the school in an area with a posted 15 minute maximum.
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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map