TORONTO STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Compulsory Stop Sign – Haven Hill Square

Date:	December 15, 2014
То:	Scarborough Community Council
From:	Acting Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards:	Ward 41 – Scarborough-Rouge River
Reference Number:	P:\2014 \Cluster B\TRA\Scarborough\sc1504.docx D14-5958745 Haven Hill Square at Haven Hill Square (southerly east-west leg) stop control

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter for which the Community Council has delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

Following a request through Councillor Lee's office, an uncontrolled three-way intersection with no compulsory stop signs was identified at the intersection of Haven Hill Square and Haven Hill Square (east-west leg).

It is recommended that a minor street stop sign be installed at this uncontrolled three-way "T-type" intersection to clearly define the right-of-way and to regulate traffic flow. The minor street stop will also encourage motorists to stop before the sidewalk to enhance pedestrian safety.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that Scarborough Community Council:

1. Approve a Stop Control for Haven Hill Square (east-west leg) at the intersection of Haven Hill Square.

Financial Impact

The financial cost of installing the subject recommended stop control is approximately \$250.00. The funding for the sign has been requested in the Transportation Services 2015 Operating Budget, within Cost Centre TP0397.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Further to a request from Councillor Chin Lee, Transportation Services staff has reviewed this "T-type" intersection. In order to clearly define the right-of-way for motorists, an eastbound compulsory stop control on Haven Hill Square at Haven Hill Square (east-west leg) is recommended.

COMMENTS

Key characteristics describing Haven Hill Square include:

- Haven Hill Square is located east of Midland Avenue, west of Brimley Road, south of McNicoll Avenue and north of Finch Avenue East in the community of Agincourt North.
- Haven Hill Square is classified as local road with a regulatory speed limit of 50 km/h.
- Haven Hill Square is configured as a "P loop" with and uncontrolled eastbound "T-type" intersection.
- Sidewalks are located on the outside perimeter of Haven Hill Square for the entire "P-loop".
- The area is comprised on single family residential family dwellings.

A minor street stop sign is recommended at the subject uncontrolled three-way "T-type" intersection to clearly define the right-of-way for motorists. When installed the stop sign will also provide stop sign uniformity and enhance driver and pedestrian safety.

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ATTACHMENTS

1 Location Plan (Compulsory Stop Sign – Haven Hill Square)