Parking Regulation Amendment – Anthia Drive

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**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 for the installation of a "No Parking Anytime" regulation on the north side of Anthia Drive in front of house numbers 44 and 46. This amendment is at the request of the area Councillor, on behalf of residents, who are experiencing problems with parked vehicles blocking access for students getting on and off the school bus.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**
Transportation Services recommends that Etobicoke York Community Council:

1. Prohibit parking at all times on the north side of Anthia Drive from a point 181 metres west of Plunkett Road to a point 7.8 metres further west.

**Financial Impact**
The estimated cost for amending the signs is $500.00. These funds are included within the Transportation Services 2016 Operating Budget.

**ISSUE BACKGROUND**
Transportation Services staff was requested by the Ward Councillor to consider posting parking regulations at a location which impedes the ability for the school bus to access the student pickup and drop off area on Anthia Drive. A map of the area is Attachment 1.

**COMMENTS**
Anthia Drive is 8.5 metres wide and classified as a "Local" roadway under the City of Toronto's Road Classification System. The adjacent land use along this road section is residential. The maximum speed limit is 50 km/h. Pedestrians are provided with sidewalks on both sides of the street.
Parking is currently prohibited on the south and east sides of the street at all times with the City-wide three-hour limit on the north and west sides of the street.

Installing a "No Parking Anytime" regulation in front of 44 and 46 Anthia Dive is intended to allow school buses to access the curb area to pick up and drop off students. This amendment will result in the loss of one parking space.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map