

STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Parking Prohibitions: Neptune Drive

| Date: | September 4, 2015 |
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| To: | North York Community Council |
| From: | Director, Transportation Services Division, North York District |
| Wards: | Ward 15 – Eglinton - Lawrence |
| Reference Number: | p:/2015/ClusterB/TRA/NorthYork/ny15079 |

SUMMARY

As the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) operates a transit service on Neptune Drive, City Council approval of this report is required.

Transportation Services is requesting to amend the existing stopping regulations on the north side of Neptune Drive between Bathurst Street and a point 214 metres west of Bathurst Street.

The implementation of the parking prohibition on the north side of Neptune Drive will allow for the safe drop-off/pick-up of students attending Associated Hebrew Schools of Toronto, Posluns Campus.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that:

- 1. City Council rescind the stopping prohibition at anytime, on the north side of Neptune Drive between Bathurst Street and a point 214 metres west of Bathurst Street.
- 2. City Council prohibit stopping at anytime, on the north side of Neptune Drive between Bathurst Street and a point 81 metres west of Bathurst Street.
- 3. City Council prohibit parking at anytime, on the north side of Neptune Drive between a point 81 metres west of Bathurst Street and a point 134 metres further west.

Financial Impact

All costs associated with implementing the parking prohibition on Neptune Drive are included within the Transportation Services 2015 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services was requested by the Ward Councillor to review the feasibility of providing short-term parking on Neptune Drive adjacent to Associated Hebrew Schools of Toronto, Posluns Campus, at 18 Neptune Drive in order to address concerns of parents and teachers of Posluns Campus regarding student drop-off/pick-up.

COMMENTS

Neptune Drive between Bathurst Street and Hotspur Road is classified as a local roadway with a regulatory speed limit of 40 km/h and operates as a southbound/eastbound one-way road.

The current parking regulations associated with the school are as follows:

- No stopping anytime on Neptune Drive (north/east sides) Bathurst Street to south limit of school driveway.
- No parking anytime on Neptune Drive (east side) north limit of school driveway to Hotspur Road
- No stopping anytime on Neptune Drive (south side) Bathurst Street to Wasdale Crescent
- Three hour parking on Neptune Drive (west side) Wasdale Crescent to Hotspur Road

In order to address the concerns brought forth by parents and teachers of Posluns Campus, staff recommend that the existing stopping prohibition on the north side of Neptune Drive be replaced with a parking prohibition at anytime. These changes will allow for parents to drop-off/pick-up their children without being ticketed for stopping. Parents are still encouraged to utilize the designated drop-off/pick-up zone on school property.

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

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map – Parking Prohibitions – Neptune Drive