



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Stopping Prohibition – Centennial Road North

Date:	December 4, 2015
To:	Scarborough Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards:	Ward 44 – Scarborough East
Reference Number:	P:\2015\Cluster B\TRA\Scarborough\sc1613.docx D15-7272800 Centennial Road North - Stopping Prohibition

SUMMARY

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

This report recommends the installation of more restrictive stopping prohibitions on both sides of Centennial Road North south of Kingston Road, in order to improve traffic operations and access/egress to and from abutting properties. Currently, this street has unposted 3-hour parking.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that Scarborough Community Council:

1. Rescind the parking prohibition in effect from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the east side of Centennial Road North, from Kingston Road to the south end of Centennial Road North.
2. Prohibit stopping at all times on both sides of Centennial Road North, from Kingston Road to the south end of Centennial Road North.

Financial Impact

The financial cost of installing the stopping prohibition signs is approximately \$1,000.00. The funding for these signs has been requested in the Transportation Services 2016 Operating Budget, within Cost Centre TP0397.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Following a request from Councillor Ron Moeser, Transportation Services has reviewed the current No Parking 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday zone on the east side of Centennial Road North from Kingston Road to the south end.

Staff observations of parking on this road has shown transient vehicles parking on the east and west sides of Centennial Road North. Although these parked vehicles did not completely restrict two-way traffic flow, they did hinder traffic operations and compromise access/egress to driveways.

COMMENTS

The following characteristics describe Centennial Road North:

- Centennial Road North is located south-east of Ellesmere Road and Kingston Road, north of Highway 2A.
- Centennial Road North is a two-lane cul-de-sac, designated as a local road, approximately 164 metres long with a pavement width that varies between approximately 5.5 to 7.5 metres.
- The unposted speed limit on Centennial Road North is 50 km/h.
- Land uses on Centennial Road North consists of light industrial and commercial establishments.
- There are no sidewalks on either side of Centennial Road North.

By installing this No Stopping zone, motorists will be prohibited from parking on-street which restricts the narrow travel width of Centennial Road North. With this change in regulation, the Toronto Police Service – Parking Enforcement Unit can provide enhanced enforcement.

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Location Plan (Stopping Prohibition – Centennial Road North)