

# STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

# **Accessible Parking Zone – Vauxhall Drive**

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To:	Scarborough Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards:	Ward 37 – Scarborough Centre
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# SUMMARY

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

This report recommends the designation of an accessible parking zone on the east side of Vauxhall Drive where there is currently an unposted 3-hour parking limit. Transportation staff has confirmed that this accessible parking zone is required and the proper documentation has been received.

# RECOMMENDATIONS

# **Transportation Services recommends that Scarborough Community Council:**

1. Designate an accessible parking zone to operate at all times on the east side of Vauxhall Drive between a point 31 metres south of Beacon Road and a point 12 metres further south.

# **Financial Impact**

The financial cost of installing these accessible parking zone signs is approximately \$500.00. Funding for the signs is available in the Transportation Services 2016 Operating Budget, within Cost Centre TP0397.

#### **ISSUE BACKBROUND**

Transportation Services staff have reviewed a request from a resident of Vauxhall Drive for an Accessible Parking Zone. The resident requires the space for a special accessible vehicle.

#### **COMMENTS**

The following characteristics describe Vauxhall Drive:

- The land use on Vauxhall Drive is detached residential homes.
- The subject roadway is located north of Lawrence Avenue East, east of Birchmount Road and west of Kennedy Road.
- Sidewalks are located on both sides the roadway.
- Vauxhall Drive is a two-lane local road with a speed limit of 50 kilometres per hour (not posted).
- There is a maximum 3-hour day-time parking regulation (not posted) on both sides of the street.

Staff have determined that an Accessible Parking Zone, located on the east side, 31 metres south of Beacon Road to a point 12 metres further south, is justified. It is anticipated that the installation of the accessible parking zone will have no negative impact on local residents and traffic operations on Vauxhall Drive.

Vauxhall Drive is classified as a local roadway in the City's approved Road Classification System. As such, the authority to implement the proposed regulation has been delegated to Scarborough Community Council.

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#### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Location Plan (Accessible Parking Zone– Vauxhall Drive)