

## **Parking Prohibitions – Drake Crescent Area**

**Date:** October 26, 2016  
**To:** Scarborough Community Council  
**From:** Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District  
**Wards:** Ward 36 – Scarborough Southwest

### **SUMMARY**

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

The report recommends prohibiting parking on weekends and public holidays on one side of Drake Crescent, Scarboro Crescent, and Undercliff Drive. The prohibition would be in effect from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of October on one side of all three roadways in order to address the high demand for parking generated by the recreational uses in the area during the summer months. Currently, there is the default three-hour parking in effect on all of these streets.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District recommends that:

1. Scarborough Community Council prohibit parking at all times, on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, from April 15 to October 15, inclusive, on the north side of Drake Crescent, between Scarboro Crescent and Undercliff Drive.
2. Scarborough Community Council prohibit parking at all times, on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, from April 15 to October 15, inclusive, on the west side of Scarboro Crescent, between a point 52 metres north of Romana Drive and a point 46 metres south of Romana Drive.
3. Scarborough Community Council prohibit parking at all times, on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, from April 15 to October 15, inclusive, on the north side of Undercliff Drive, between Scarboro Crescent and the east end of Undercliff Drive.

## **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

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The financial cost of installing the No Parking Weekend and Public Holiday signs on Drake Crescent, Scarboro Crescent and Undercliff Drive is approximately \$5,000.00. The funding for these signs is available in the Transportation Services Division's 2016 Operating Budget, within Cost Centre TP0397.

## **DECISION HISTORY**

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This report addresses a new initiative.

## **COMMENTS**

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As a result of community surveys through Councillor Crawford's office, Transportation Services staff reviewed the subject roadways to determine the feasibility for more stringent parking regulations.

The following characteristics describe Drake Crescent, Scarboro Crescent, and Undercliff Drive:

- All roadways are classified as local roadways with a vehicle volume of less than 2,500 vehicles per day.
- Parking concerns on these roadway have been documented by surveys from constituents of all three roadways through the Councillor's Office.
- During the summer months the demand for parking increases. Tennis courts and a park with a playground attract additional traffic. The pavement width on the roadways is approximately 8.5 metres to 8.7 metres wide.
- Parking simultaneously on both sides of these roadway prevents two-way vehicle traffic.

In order to improve safety on Drake Crescent, Scarboro Crescent, and Undercliff Drive, staff recommend the implementation of the parking regulations requested through the surveys. The surveys support a weekend and public holiday parking prohibition from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of October on one side of each roadway. The signed regulations will allow two-way traffic flow and reduce congestion. Corner parking regulation signs will also be installed as required in the area of the subject intersections.

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## **SIGNATURE**

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## **ATTACHMENTS**

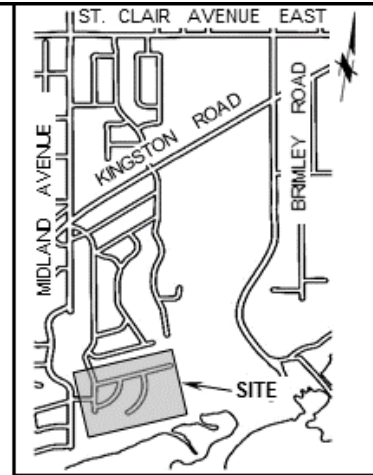
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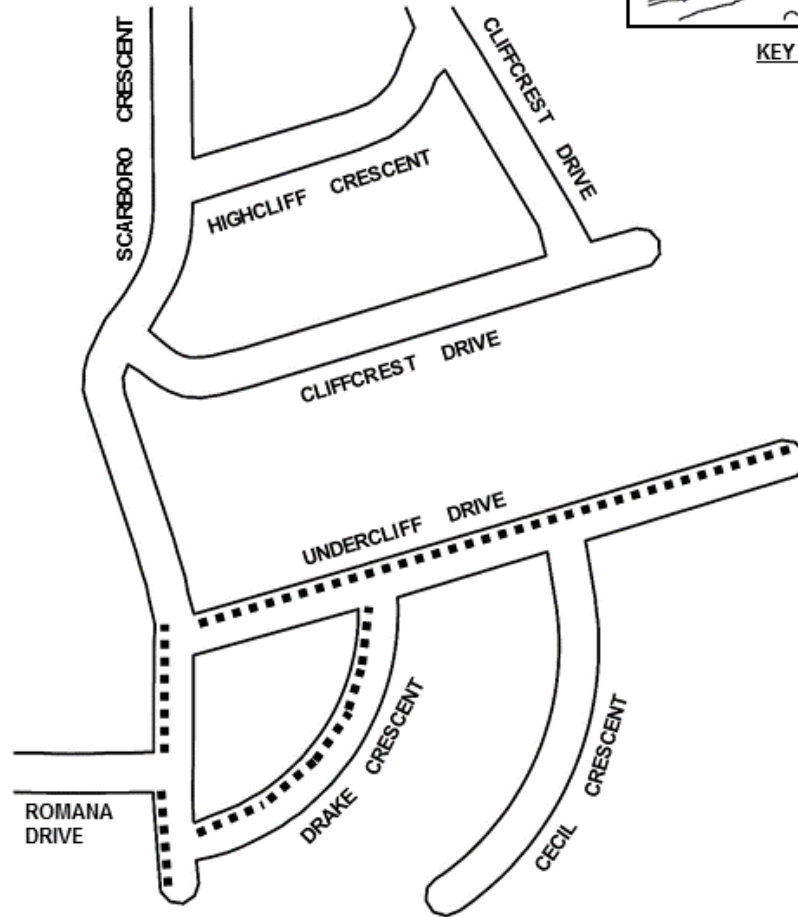
**LEGEND**



NO PARKING ON WEEKENDS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS ANYTIME  
 APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup> TO OCTOBER 15<sup>TH</sup>



**KEY MAP**



**LOCATION MAP**



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