



April 27, 2017

Toronto and East York Community Council
100 Queen Street West
Toronto ON M5H 2N2

Dear Chair and Members,

RE: Proposed Short-Term Parking - Danforth Avenue

SUMMARY:

Blossoming Minds Learning Centre, a licensed child care centre at 1530 Danforth Avenue, has contacted my office with concerns regarding the safety of children during pick-up and drop-off activity. The Pay-and-Display parking on Danforth Avenue, in front of the facility, is often at capacity and is prohibited during peak hours

The proposed amendment to the existing Pay-and-Display parking along Danforth Avenue, adjacent to Blossoming Minds Learning Centre, will provide additional short-term parking spaces to parents and guardians dropping off and picking up their children close to the child care centre. This change will provide approximately 2 - 3 additional parking spaces within the student pick-up/drop-off zone that will operate between the hours of 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. Pay-and-Display parking will continue to operate at all other times.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That Toronto and East York Community Council recommends that:

1. City Council authorize parking for a maximum period of 15 minutes from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the north side of Danforth Avenue, between a point 56.4 metres west of Coxwell Avenue and a point 15.1 metres further west.
2. City Council prohibits parking from 3:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the north side of Danforth Avenue, between a point 56.4 metres west of Coxwell Avenue and a point 15.1 metres further west.

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3. City Council rescind the existing Pay-and-Display parking regulations on the north side of Danforth Avenue, between Donlands Avenue and a point 55 metres west of Coxwell Avenue, operating from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, and 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Saturday, for a maximum period of three hours at a rate of \$1.50 per hour.
4. City Council authorize the installation of Pay-and-Display parking regulations on the north side of Danforth Avenue, between a point 56.4 metres west of Coxwell Avenue and a point 15.1 metres further west, operating from 9:00 a.m. to 3:45 p.m., Monday to Friday, and 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Saturday, for a maximum period of three hours at a rate of \$1.50 per hour.
5. City council authorize the installation of Pay-and-Display parking regulations on the north side of Danforth Avenue, between Donlands Avenue and a point 71.5 metres west of Coxwell Avenue, operating from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, and 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Saturday, for a maximum period of three hours at a rate of \$1.50 per hour.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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