Parking Amendment - Broadway Avenue

Date: June 25, 2018  
To: Public Works and Infrastructure Committee  
From: General Manager, Transportation Services  
Wards: Ward 22, Ward 25

SUMMARY

Transportation Services is requesting approval to implement a "No Stopping Anytime" regulation on the south side of Broadway Avenue, between a point 35 metres east of Yonge Street to a point 63 metres further east.

The proposed changes will address residents' concerns with the obstructed flow of two-way traffic caused by illegal parking on Broadway Avenue, fronting the apartment buildings at 7, 9 and 11 Broadway Avenue.

This report is submitted to Public Works and Infrastructure Committee as Broadway Avenue forms a shared boundary between the Toronto and East York Community Council and the North York Community Council.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The General Manager, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. City Council prohibit stopping at all times on the south side of Broadway Avenue, between a point 35 metres east of Yonge Street and a point 63 metres further east.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

All costs associated with the necessary signage installation are included within the Transportation Services 2018 Operating Budget.

The Interim Chief Financial Officer has reviewed this report and agrees with the financial impact information.
DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services was requested to review the feasibility of implementing a "No Stopping Anytime" regulation on the south side of Broadway Avenue, between a point 35 metres east of Yonge Street and a point 63 metres further east, fronting the apartment buildings at 7, 9 and 11 Broadway Avenue.

Broadway Avenue, between Yonge Street and Redpath Avenue is designated as a two-way east/west collector roadway with a pavement width of approximately 9.8 metres and a posted speed limit of 40 km/h. The following parking regulations are currently in effect on the south side of Broadway Avenue, between Yonge Street and Redpath Avenue:

- No stopping anytime, between Yonge Street and a point 35 metres further east; and
- No parking anytime, between a point 35 metres east of Yonge Street and Redpath Avenue.

The apartment buildings are located on the south side of Broadway Avenue between Yonge Street and the westerly property limit of Toronto Collegiate Institute High School. A site investigation was conducted and the "No Parking" and "No Stopping" signs on the south side of Broadway Avenue, between Yonge Street and Redpath Avenue are clearly visible, in good condition and reflect the current by-laws.

During a Traffic Operations investigation, no vehicles were observed parking, standing or stopping in the eastbound lane of Broadway Avenue, between Yonge Street and the westerly property limit of North Toronto Collegiate Institute High School (approximately 98 metres east of Yonge Street). Notwithstanding, Traffic Operations have no concerns with the installation of a "No Stopping Anytime" regulation on the south side of Broadway Avenue from a point 35 metres east of Yonge Street, to a point 63 metres further east.

The proposed regulation will prohibit motorists from stopping adjacent to the apartment buildings at 7, 9 and 11 Broadway Avenue, and will address the concerns brought forward by The Republic Residents’ Association, who represent the community interests of owners and tenants at 25 Broadway Avenue and 70 Roehampton Avenue.

Ward 22 Councillor Josh Matlow and Ward 25 Councillor Jaye Robinson have been advised of the recommendations of this staff report.
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ATTACHMENTS

1. Drawing No. 421G-2925, dated April 2018

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