

Parking Regulation Amendment - Monkton Avenue

Date: January 17, 2019
To: Etobicoke York Community Council
From: Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services
Wards: Ward 3 – Etobicoke - Lakeshore

SUMMARY

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

The purpose of this report is to propose an amendment to the current "No Parking, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday" regulation on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Springbrook Gardens and the south limit of the road. The residents raised concerns regarding the lack of on-street parking during the late afternoon period, Monday to Friday, and during the day on Saturdays.

Based on a petition received from the affected residents, staff recommends a "No Parking, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday" regulation on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Springbrook Gardens and the south limit of Monkton Avenue.

The proposed parking amendments are supported by the ward Councillor.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services, recommends that:

1. Etobicoke York Community Council rescind the existing 'No Parking' on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Van Dusen Boulevard and the south end of Monkton Avenue from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday.
2. Etobicoke York Community Council prohibit parking on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Van Dusen Boulevard and Springbrook Gardens, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday.
3. Etobicoke York Community Council prohibit parking on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Springbrook Gardens and the south end of Monkton Avenue, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The financial cost of installing the 'No Parking Anytime' signs on Monkton Avenue is approximately \$ 1,000.00. The funding for these signs is available in the Transportation Services Division's interim 2019 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services staff received a petition via the office of former Councillor Justin D. Ciano from area residents of Monkton Avenue requesting an amendment to the current parking regulation on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Springbrook Gardens and the south limit of the road. The residents raised concerns regarding the lack of on-street parking during the late afternoon period, Monday to Friday, and during the day on Saturdays. A map of the area, including existing and proposed parking regulations on Monkton Avenue, is Attachment 1.

Monkton Avenue is a two-lane roadway classified in the City's Road Classification System as a "Local" road. The street is located in the residential community south of Bloor Street West, east of Islington Avenue. There are no sidewalks on either side of the street. The legal speed limit on Monkton Avenue is 40 km/h.

Currently, parking is prohibited on the west side of Monkton Avenue, from Meadowvale Drive to the south end of Monkton Avenue, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday. Parking is prohibited at all times on the east side of Monkton Avenue, between Meadowvale Drive and the south end of Monkton Avenue.

Staff have investigated and reviewed the existing parking regulations on Monkton Avenue and recommend that the parking regulations on the west side of Monkton Avenue, between Springbrook Gardens and the south limit of Monkton Avenue be changed from "No Parking 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday" to "No Parking 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday" to better accommodate the parking needs of the residents.

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ATTACHMENT

Attachment 1: Area Map - Monkton Avenue

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