

Parking Regulation Amendment – Elmcrest Road, south of Laver Road

Date: September 9, 2019
To: Etobicoke York Community Council
From: Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services
Wards: Ward 2 – Etobicoke Centre

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 prohibit parking at all times on the west side of Elmcrest Road, between Laver Road and a point 31 metres south. The proposed prohibition is a result of a petition signed by residents in the area of the intersection of Elmcrest Road and Laver Road to address concerns regarding excessive and long term parking on the west side of Elmcrest Road, south of Laver Road.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

1. Etobicoke York Community Council prohibit parking at all times on the west side of Elmcrest Road, between Laver Road and a point 31 metres south.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The cost of installing the "No Parking Anytime" signs on Elmcrest Road is approximately \$ 400.00. The funding for these signs is available in the Transportation Services Division's 2019 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services and the Ward Councillor received a petition, signed by residents in the area of the intersection of Elmcrest Road and Laver Road, requesting that parking be prohibited at all times on the west side of Elmcrest Road from Laver Road to, and including, the frontage of #56 Elmcrest Road. The request is due to concerns regarding excessive and long term parking. A map of the area is shown on Attachment 1.

Elmcrest Road, in the area of Laver Road, is an 8.5 metres wide two-lane roadway classified in the City of Toronto's Road Classification System as a "local" road. The street has an urban cross-section (curb and gutter). Sidewalks are located on the west side of the street between Laver Road and Old Burnhamthorpe Road, and on the east side of the street between Laver Road and Rathburn Road. The regulatory speed limit on Elmcrest Road is 40 km/h. A pedestrian crossover (PXO) is located on the south leg of the intersection of Elmcrest Road and Laver Road. Parking is currently prohibited at all times on the east side of Elmcrest Road between Old Burnhamthorpe Road and Laver Road. Parking is allowed for a maximum period of three-hours (unsigned) on all other sections of the street between Old Burnhamthorpe Road and Rathburn Road.

In consultation with the local Councillor, Transportation Services recommends prohibiting parking at all times on the west side of Elmcrest Road, between Laver Road and a point 31 metres south. This will address concerns regarding excessive and long term parking on this section of Elmcrest Road.

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ATTACHMENT

Attachment 1: Area Map – Elmcrest Road

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