

Parking Amendments - Scarsdale Road

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To: North York Community Council

From: Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 16 - Don Valley East

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter for which Community Council has delegated authority to make a final decision, provided that it is not amended so that it varies with City policy or by-laws.

Transportation Services is requesting North York Community Council approval to extend the existing short-term parking on Scarsdale Road, in front of Metamorphosis Greek Orthodox School, further north to be in front of La Citadelle Academy. The proposed short-term parking in front of La Citadelle Academy was part of the site plan application for the school.

The proposed parking amendments will result in 12 on-street parking spaces for student pick-up/drop-off activity in front of La Citadelle Academy.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services recommends that North York Community Council:

1. Rescind the existing 10 minute maximum parking limit, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the west side of Scarsdale Road, between Preakness Drive and a point 65 metres north.
2. Authorize parking for a maximum period of 10 minutes, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the west side of Scarsdale Road, between Preakness Drive and a point 140 metres north.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

All costs associated with the necessary signage installation are included within the Transportation Services 2019 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

In 2015, Transportation Services directed La Citadelle Academy to undertake a traffic operations assessment as part of their site plan application to relocate to Scarsdale Road. The assessment recommended that short term parking be designated in front of the school to accommodate student pick-up/drop-off activity. The school is now operating and has installed temporary short-term parking signs.

La Citadelle Academy is located at 36 Scarsdale Road on the west side of the street, north of Preakness Drive. Scarsdale Road is a 10 metre wide, two-way local street that runs north from Bond Avenue to York Mills Road with a regulatory 40 km/h speed limit. There is no TTC service on Scarsdale Road.

Parking is currently prohibited at all times on the east side of Scarsdale Road. Parking is allowed for three hours (unsigned) on the west side of Scarsdale Road, except between 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, in front of Metamorphosis Greek Orthodox School, located at 30 Scarsdale Road, where there is a 10 minute parking area. It is feasible to extend the existing 10 minute parking area further north to also encompass the front of La Citadelle Academy.

The proposed extension of the existing 10 minute parking area will provide an additional 12 parking spaces for student pick-up/drop-off activity at La Citadelle Academy.

The Ward Councillor is aware of the recommendations in this staff report.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map - Parking Amendments - Scarsdale Road

