

Standing Prohibition - Scottfield Drive

Date: January 28, 2019
To: Scarborough Community Council
From: Acting Director, Transportation Services, Scarborough District
Wards: Ward 23 – Scarborough North

SUMMARY

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

This report recommends the installation of a no standing zone on the south side of Scottfield Drive in the area of the two driveways at 33 Scottfield Drive. Currently, at 33 Scottfield Drive, parking is permitted for a maximum period of three hours on both sides of Scottfield Drive.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

1. Scarborough Community Council prohibit standing at all times on the south side of Scottfield Drive, between a point 138 metres east of Middlefield Road and a point 78 metres further east.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The financial cost of installing the recommended parking prohibition signs is approximately \$600.00. The funding for these signs has been requested in the Transportation Services Division's 2019 interim Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

As a result of a public request, Transportation Services staff reviewed the feasibility of prohibiting standing at all times on the south side of Scottfield Drive in the area of the two driveways at 33 Scottfield Drive. Currently, parking is permitted for a maximum period of three hours on both sides of Scottfield Drive.

Existing Conditions

The following characteristics describe Scottfield Drive:

- Scottfield Drive is located east of Middlefield Road and south of Finch Avenue East.
- Scottfield Drive is a two-lane local road with a regulatory speed limit of 50 km/h.
- The two driveways at 33 Scottfield Drive are located on the south side of Scottfield Drive.
- Currently, at 33 Scottfield Drive, parking is permitted for a maximum of three hours on both sides of the road. On the south side of at Scottfield Drive, further to the east and west of this address there are posted No Parking Anytime regulations.
- Sidewalks are located on both sides of Scottfield Drive.
- The land use in this area consists mainly of industrial businesses and a long term care facility.

Based on a staff review, it was confirmed that vehicles are parking beside the west driveway and the east driveway at 33 Scottfield Drive. The parked vehicles restrict access for vehicles entering and exiting the driveways, and create a sight line obstruction for motorists and pedestrians.

Transportation Services staff have determined that it is feasible to prohibit standing at all times on the south side of Scottfield Drive between the west driveway of 33 Scottfield Drive and the east driveway of 33 Scottfield Drive.

The proposed No Standing Anytime regulation is anticipated to allow clear and unrestricted access to both driveways, enhance sight lines, and would be enforceable by Toronto Police Service.

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Location Plan (Standing Prohibition - Scottfield Drive)

Attachment 1 - Location Plan (Standing Prohibition - Scottfield Drive)

