

Parking Amendments - Main Street

Date: October 19, 2020
To: Toronto and East York Community Council
From: Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services
Wards: Ward 19, Beaches - East York

SUMMARY

As the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) operates a transit service on Main Street, City Council approval of this report is required.

Transportation Services is recommending an amendment to the existing maximum one-hour parking regulation in effect from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday on the east side of Main Street, between Danforth Avenue and Doncaster Avenue, to be in effect for a maximum period of two-hours, from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday,. This provision will not affect traffic operations in this area and will facilitate parking for local residents.

RECOMMENDATION

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

1. City Council rescind the existing maximum one-hour parking regulation in effect from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday, on the east side of Main Street, from a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue to a point 37 metres south of Doncaster Avenue.
2. City Council authorize parking for a maximum period of two-hours from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday, on the east side of Main Street, from a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue to a point 37 metres south of Doncaster Avenue.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

All costs associated with the necessary signage installation are included within the Transportation Services 2020 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services, in response to Councillor Brad Bradford's request on behalf of residents of Main Street, has reviewed the feasibility of increasing the maximum one-hour parking time limit in effect from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday, on the east side of Main Street, between Danforth Avenue and Doncaster Avenue, to a two-hour maximum time period.

Existing Conditions

Main Street is a minor arterial road that operates two-way traffic on a pavement width of about 9.75 metres north of Main Street Transit Station located at a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue. The roadway has a daily two-way traffic volume of about 11,000 vehicles and a regulatory speed limit of 40 km/h. The area is comprised of mixed-uses, with restaurants on the east side of Main Street, south of the transit station, and a Church, daycare facility, and Stanley G. Grizzle Park on the west side of Main Street. North of the transit station are single-use and semi-detached homes up to Doncaster Avenue. Municipal sidewalks are located on both sides of the road. TTC service on Main Street is provided by the "87 Cosburn" bus route.

Following are the current parking regulations on Main Street, between Danforth Avenue and Doncaster Avenue:

East side

- Maximum one-hour parking from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, between a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue and a point 37 metres south of Doncaster Avenue,
- Permit parking in effect from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., between Danforth Avenue and a point 256.3 metres north,
- No stopping anytime between Danforth Avenue and a point 50 metres north,
- No stopping from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, except public holidays, between a point 50 metres north of Danforth Avenue and a point 37 metres south of Doncaster Avenue,
- No standing anytime between a point 50 metres north of Danforth Avenue and a point 61 metres further north, and
- No standing anytime between Doncaster Avenue and point 37 metres south.

West side

- No parking anytime between a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue and Doncaster Avenue,
- No stopping from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., Monday to Friday, except public holidays, between a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue and Doncaster Avenue, and
- No standing anytime between Danforth Avenue and a point 111 metres north.

Traffic Operations staff have reviewed this request and have no objection in changing the maximum parking time from one hour to two hours on the east side of Main Street, between a point 111 metres north of Danforth Avenue and a point 37 metres south of Doncaster Avenue. The above recommendation will address the residents' concerns.

Councillor Brad Bradford has been advised of the recommendation of this staff report.

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SIGNATURE

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ATTACHMENT

Attachment 1: Drawing No. 421T-0045, dated October 2020
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Doncaster Avenue

