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#### REPORT FOR ACTION

### Pay-and-Display Parking - Broadview Avenue, Danforth Avenue, Coxwell Avenue and Pape Avenue

Date: February 2, 2021

To: Toronto and East York Community Council

From: Acting Director, Traffic Management, Transportation

Wards: Ward 14, Toronto - Danforth

#### **SUMMARY**

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

As a result of the installation of ActiveTO cycle tracks on Danforth Avenue, Transportation Services is requesting approval for the installation of additional pay-and-display parking spaces on perpendicular roadways to Danforth Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Dawes Road.

Additional amendments are also proposed to the hours of operation in which paid parking is in effect on Danforth Avenue, between Donlands Avenue and Woodbine Avenue. These changes respond to concerns raised by the Ward Councillor and a Place of Worship.

#### RECOMMENDATION

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

1. City Council authorize the amendments to parking regulations identified in Attachment 1 attached to the report dated January 21, 2021 from Acting Director, Traffic Management.

#### FINANCIAL IMPACT

Funding is available within the Transportation Services interim 2021 Operating Budget.

#### **DECISION HISTORY**

At its meeting of March 12, 2020 (Item TE14.77), Toronto and East York Community Council requested that Transportation Services work with the Toronto Parking Authority (TPA) to bring forward a bill to change the paid parking times on Danforth Avenue between Donlands Avenue and Caithness Avenue to their pre-2017 times. Additional information related to this decision can be found here:

http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaltemHistory.do?item=2020.TE14.77

At its meeting of October 2, 2017 (Item GM22.27), City Council authorized amendments to the hourly rates and hours of operation of on-street paid parking spaces detailed in the September 11, 2017 report from the Acting President, Toronto Parking Authority (TPA) to be enacted. Additional information related to this decision can be found here:

http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/viewAgendaltemHistory.do?item=2017.GM22.27

#### COMMENTS

Transportation Services has worked with Toronto Parking Authority (TPA) during the implementation of the accelerated cycling infrastructure on Danforth Avenue to coordinate the relocation of pay-and-display machines, and determine new paid parking spaces on adjacent roadways along Danforth Avenue in order to off-set the loss of paid parking on Danforth Avenue. New paid parking locations have been reviewed with the local Ward Councillors and 35 spaces on side streets extending north and south of Danforth Avenue have been identified.

#### **Proposed Locations of Pay-and-Display Parking Spaces**

In order to off-set the reduction of spaces, staff recommends the installation of pay-and-display parking spaces at the following locations:

- Broadview Avenue, between Erindale Avenue and Pretoria Avenue
- Coxwell Avenue, between a point 30 metres south of Danforth Avenue to first laneway
- Pape Avenue, between Danforth Avenue and Gertrude Place

A map of the area and proposed parking amendments is included in Attachment 2.

## Proposed Changes to Hours of Operation of Paid Parking on Danforth Avenue

As part of the 2017 On-Street Rate Review, Toronto Parking Authority (TPA) undertook consultation with local Ward Councillors and Business Improvement Areas about proposed changes to rates and the hours of paid parking operations. Through this review, operational changes to paid parking on Danforth Avenue between Donlands Avenue and Woodbine Avenue were adopted by City Council on October 2, 2017 and implemented in 2018. The approved changes included both an increase in rates, as well as an extension of paid parking hours from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday and introduction of paid parking on Sundays between 1:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.

Subsequent to the changes being implemented, the Medinah Mosque and the Ward Councillor have raised concerns about the impact of the extended paid parking hours of operation on a Place of Worship. In response to the Ward Councillor's request, Transportation Services is recommending that the paid parking hours of operation be adjusted to reflect operations in place prior to the 2017 times.

The proposed paid parking hours of operation along the north side of Danforth Avenue between Caithness Avenue and a point 139.7 metres west would shorten Monday to Saturday paid parking evening hours from 9:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. The changes would also see the removal of paid parking hours along this same stretch of Danforth Avenue on Sundays from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The proposed changes along the south side of Danforth Avenue between 102.7 metres east of Euston Avenue and a point 75.5 metres further east include shortening Monday to Saturday paid parking during the evening hours from 9:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. and the removal of paid parking hours (1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.) on Sundays.

A list and map of the area and proposed parking amendments is included in Attachments 1 and 2.

The Ward Councillor has been advised of the recommendation of this staff report.

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#### **SIGNATURE**

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#### **ATTACHMENTS**

Attachment 1: Proposed Changes to Hours of Operation for Pay-and-Display Parking on Danforth Avenue

Attachment 2: Maps - Pay-and-Display Parking - Broadview Avenue, Danforth Avenue, Coxwell Avenue and Pape Avenue

Attachment 1: Proposed Changes to Hours of Operation for Pay-and-Display Parking on Danforth Avenue (Non-Delegated)

#### TO BE ENACTED

#### CHAPTER 910 - SCHEDULE I: PARKING MACHINES

Highway	Side Parking	Between	Hours (daily as indicated below)	Fee/Time Limit	Maximum Parking Period
Coxwell Avenue	West	A point 30 metres south of Danforth Avenue and a point 15 metres south	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Sat.; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun.	\$2.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Pape Avenue	West	First laneway north of Danforth Avenue and a point 17 metres north, and a point 15 metres north of Lipton Avenue and a point 70 metres north	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Sat.; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun.	\$3.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Broadview Avenue	West	Erindale Avenue and Pretoria Avenue	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Sat.; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun.	\$3.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Broadview Avenue	East	Erindale Avenue and a point 26 metres north	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Sat.; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun.	\$3.00 for 1 hour	3 hours

Highway	Side Parking	Between	Hours (daily as indicated below)	Fee/Time Limit	Maximum Parking Period
Broadview Avenue	East	A point 38 metres north of Erindale Avenue and a point 19 metres south of Pretoria Avenue	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Sat.; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun.	\$3.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Chisholm Avenue	East	Danforth Avenue to Harris Avenue	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.; 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Sat.	\$2.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Danforth Avenue	North	Caithness Avenue and a point 139.7 metres west	9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.; 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Sat.	\$2.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Danforth Avenue	South	A point 102.7 metres east of Euston Avenue and a point 75.5 metres further east	8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri; 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Sat.	\$2.00 for 1 hour	3 hours

#### CHAPTER 950 - SCHEDULE XV: PARKING FOR RESTRICTED PERIODS

Highway	Side Parking	Between	Times and/or Days	Maximum Period Permitted
Broadview Avenue	West	Erindale Avenue and Chester Hill Road	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.	1 hour
Broadview Avenue	East	Pretoria Avenue and a point 65 metres south of Browning Avenue	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.	1 hour

#### TO BE RESCINDED

#### CHAPTER 950 - SCHEDULE XV: PARKING FOR RESTRICTED PERIODS

Highway	Side Parking	Between	Times and/or Days	Maximum Period Permitted
Broadview Avenue	West	Erindale Avenue a point 42 metres north of Chester Hill Road	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.	1 hour
Broadview Avenue	East	A point 81 metres north of Danforth Avenue and a point 76.6 metres north of Browning Avenue	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.	1 hour

#### CHAPTER 950 - SCHEDULE XIII: NO PARKING

Highway	Side	Between	Times and/or Days
Pape	West	Gertrude Place and	Anytime, Except Sun. and Public
Avenue		Danforth Avenue	Holidays

#### CHAPTER 910 - SCHEDULE I: PARKING MACHINES

Highway	Side Parking	Between	Hours (daily as indicated below)	Fee/Time Limit	Maximum Parking Period
Danforth Avenue	North	Caithness Avenue and a point 139.7 metres west	9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Fri.; 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sat; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun	\$2.00 for 1 hour	3 hours
Danforth Avenue	South	A point 102.7 metres east of Euston Avenue and a point 75.5 metres further east	8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Mon. to Sat; 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Sun.	\$2.00 for 1 hour	3 hours

Attachment 2: Maps - Pay-and-Display Parking - Broadview Avenue, Danforth Avenue, Coxwell Avenue and Pape Avenue







