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REPORT FOR ACTION

Parking Amendments - Manitoba Street

Date: March 30, 2022

To: Etobicoke York Community Council

From: Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 3 - Etobicoke-Lakeshore

SUMMARY

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

Transportation Services is recommending that stopping be prohibited at all times on both sides of Manitoba Street, between a point 90 metres east of Grand Avenue and a point 25 metres further east, and between a point 90 metres west of Legion Road North and a point 30 metres further west, to improve visibility at park access points.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. City Council prohibit stopping at all times on both sides of Manitoba Street, between a point 90 metres east of Grand Avenue and a point 25 metres further east, and between a point 90 metres west of Legion Road North and a point 30 metres further west.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The signage costs associated with the proposed amendments are approximately \$1600.00. Funding is available within the Transportation Services 2022 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

The Ward Councillor, on behalf of area residents, requested that Transportation Services review the feasibility of prohibiting stopping on Manitoba Street, in the area of

the pathways at the recently opened Grand Avenue Park, to ensure visibility for park users accessing the pathway.

Existing Conditions

Manitoba Street is characterized by the following conditions:

- It is a two-lane, east-west local roadway
- It operates two-way traffic on a pavement width of approximately 10 metres
- The daily two-way traffic volume is approximately 3300 vehicles
- The speed limit is 40 km/h
- Heavy trucks are prohibited at all times
- TTC operates the Mimico Community Bus on the subject section of Manitoba Street.
 However, this route is currently suspended
- There are sidewalks on the north side of the street
- Grand Avenue Park is located on the south side of Manitoba Street

The unsigned statutory three-hour maximum parking limit is in effect at all times on both sides of Manitoba Street, within the subject section.

Proposed Changes

The proposed stopping prohibitions, east of Grand Avenue and west of Legion Road North, to be in effect at all times on both sides of Manitoba Street, will ensure visibility for park users accessing the two pathways to the recently open Grand Avenue Park.

A map of the area and proposed parking amendments is included in Attachment 1.

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

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map - Parking Amendments - Manitoba Street

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