

Parking Amendments - Adanac Drive

Date: December 18, 2024

To: Scarborough Community Council

From: Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 20, Scarborough Southwest

SUMMARY

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

Transportation Services is recommending that parking be prohibited on the east and south sides of the southernmost curve on Adanac Drive, north of Colonial Avenue. The proposed amendment will address sightline issues caused by parked vehicles within the curve on Adanac Drive.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. Scarborough Community Council prohibit parking at all times on the east and south sides of Adanac Drive, between a point 86 metres north of Colonial Avenue and a point 63 metres further north/east.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The signage cost associated with the proposed amendments is approximately \$500.00. Funding is available within the Transportation Services 2025 Interim Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services was requested by local residents to investigate the feasibility of prohibiting parking within the curve on Adanac Drive, north of Colonial Avenue, as it was reported that parked vehicles may impede sightlines. Staff determined that prohibiting parking on the east and south sides of Adanac Drive will improve sightlines.

Existing Conditions

Adanac Drive is characterized by the following conditions:

- It is a two-lane, north-south and east-west, local roadway
- It operates two-way traffic on a pavement width of approximately 8.4 metres
- The daily two-way traffic volume is approximately 900 vehicles
- The speed limit is 30 km/h
- There is no Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) service provided
- There are no sidewalks on the street
- Heavy trucks are prohibited at all times

The land use is comprised of single-family residential dwellings.

Parking is allowed for a maximum of three hours on both sides of Adanac Drive, between Colonial Avenue and Little Rock Drive. This is a statutory, unsigned parking regulation.

Staff investigated concerns about limited sightlines near and within the curve on Adanac Drive, north of Colonial Avenue, and confirmed that parked vehicles can impede visibility. Given the absence of sidewalks, it has been determined that prohibiting parking in this section will improve safety for both motorists and pedestrians.

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

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

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map - Parking Amendments - Adanac Drive

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