

Parking Amendments - Lescon Road

Date: June 18, 2026

To: North York Community Council

From: Director, Enforcement and Street Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 17 - Don Valley North

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 at all times on the south and west sides of Lescon Road, between a point 96 metres north of Trailside Drive and a point 36 metres north-west. Currently parking is allowed for the unsigned statutory three-hour maximum limit on both sides Lescon Road. The proposed change will provide adequate visibility through a curved section of Lescon Road where there is a school crossing.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Director, Enforcement and Street Management, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. North York Community Council prohibit parking at all times on the south and west side of Lescon Road, between a point 96 metres north of Trailside Drive and a point 36 metres further north and west.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The signage costs associated with the proposed amendments are approximately \$500. Funding is available within the Transportation Services 2026 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

The Ward Councillor, on behalf of local residents, requested parking be prohibited at all times on the inside of the easterly curved section of Lescon Road to improve driver visibility at a school crossing in the vicinity of 22 Lescon Road.

Existing Conditions

Lescon Road is characterized by the following conditions:

- It is a two-lane, north-south local roadway that curves sharply east-west then back north-south
- It operates two-way traffic on a pavement width of approximately 8.5 metres
- The daily two-way traffic volume is approximately 700 vehicles
- The speed limit is 30 km/h
- Heavy trucks are prohibited at all times
- There is no TTC service
- There are sidewalks located on both sides of the street
- Lescon Public School is located on the west side of the street, approximately 100 west of the subject school crossing.
- The school crossing in the vicinity of 22 Lescon Road where the road curves sharply
- There is a designated community safety zone on Lescon Road.

Parking is allowed for the unsigned statutory three-hour maximum limit on both sides of the subject section of Lescon Road.

Proposed Changes

The unsigned statutory three-hour maximum parking limit is in effect at all times on both sides of the subject section of Lescon Road.

This sometimes results in vehicles parked close to the school crossing near 22 Lescon Road. These parked vehicles and the curve in the road results in poor visibility for drivers approaching the school crossing. Prohibiting parking at all times on the inside of the curve will address this issue. This will result in the loss of three parking spaces.

A map of the area and proposed parking amendment 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 - Lescon Road

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