

Date: February 19, 2026

To: Scarborough Community Council

From: Mike Barnet, Director, Enforcement and Street Management

Re: Upton Road - Parking Amendment (Ward 20, Scarborough Southwest)

Transportation Services has been requested by the Ward 20 Councillor to provide recommended wording for recommendations they plan to present to the February 19, 2026, Scarborough Community Council. Staff request that this memorandum accompany the Councillor's letter.

Summary

- X Staff **support** the draft recommendations provided below
- Staff **do not support** the draft recommendations provided below
- Staff do not have sufficient data and/or time to determine if the draft recommendations provided below can be supported by staff, at this time.

Draft Recommendations:

- 1. Scarborough Community Council amend the existing standing prohibition in effect at all times, on the south side of Upton Road, between the east end of Upton Road and a point 82 metres west, to be in effect from the east end of Upton Road and a point 124 metres west.*

Transportation Services reviewed the request and supports extending the existing standing prohibition along the south side, near the terminus of Upton Road. The current length of the standing prohibition is insufficient and allows vehicles to park near industrial driveways, occasionally obstructing access. This has resulted in operational conflicts and safety concerns, particularly for large trucks entering and exiting the properties. Extending the standing prohibition would reduce illegal parking, maintain clear driveway access, and improve overall safety along this section of the roadway.

Financial Impact

Staff have not been able to develop engineering estimates for this work but based on previous experience and similar work in the past, we expect the costs associated with approving the draft recommendations below will be approximately \$500.00. As this work was not anticipated, it has not been specifically included in any approved budgets.

Completion of the work would be subject to availability and competing priorities within future Transportation Services Operating Budgets, unless a specific funding source is identified by the councillor and approved by Scarborough Community Council.

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