

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE- MARCH 25, 2008

PARKING PERMITTED IN FRONT OF SAN MARCO CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Recommendation

Councillor Tony Carella, in consultation with the Parent Council of San Marco Catholic School, recommends:

1. That the existing parking prohibition on the West side of Coronation Street between the south limit of the north access to San Marco Catholic School and the north limit of the south access to San Marco Catholic School between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday be rescinded; and
2. That a "No Parking" prohibition be implemented on the West side of Coronation Street from 5 metres south of the north access to San Marco Catholic School to 5 metres north of the south access to San Marco Catholic School during the time period from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., Monday to Friday.

Economic Impact

The cost of replacing signage is minimal and can be absorbed in the approved budget.

Communications Plan

The local Councillor will inform the residents in the vicinity.

Purpose

To address the concerns of the parents of San Marco Catholic School and the principal, and in order to ensure the safety of the students.

Background - Analysis and Options

At a recent meeting of the Parent Council of San Marco Catholic School, parents raised concerns with respect to the safety of children. The Kiss-n-Ride Program that operates from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00a.m. everyday is very successful, as cars are not permitted to park in front of the school. However, parking is required on front of the School from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., to facilitate the pick-up of the students throughout the day.

The existing "No Stopping" prohibitions on the east side of Coronation Street and 5 metres either side of the school driveways would remain.

Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2020

This report is consistent with the Vaughan Vision 2020 strategic initiatives to enhance and ensure community safety, health and wellness.

Regional Implications

None

Conclusion

In response to the request of the San Marco Catholic School principal and parents, it is recommended that parking be allowed in front of the school after 10:00 a.m. Monday to Friday and that no parking between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Monday to Friday be enforced.

Attachments

None.

Report prepared by:

Councillor Tony Carella

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Tony Carella