



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MILTON

NOTICE OF MOTION

INTRODUCTION DATE: February 24, 2025

SUBJECT: No parking & No winter maintenance signs on Bergamot Avenue

CONSIDERATION DATE: February 24, 2025

MOVED BY: Councillor Marshall

SECONDED BY: Councillor Ali

WHEREAS bicycle infrastructure is incorporated into all secondary plans, their ultimate usability and connectivity is dependent upon the pace of new development. In some instances, bicycle lanes are incorporated into new subdivisions where their usability is dependent upon adjacent development;

AND WHEREAS Section 16.8 of Ontario Regulation 239/02 (Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Roads) indicates when a bicycle lane is set out for the exclusive use of bicycles and is not considered a shared facility, a municipality may close the bike lane in winter;

AND WHEREAS exclusive use bicycle lanes have been installed on Bergamot Avenue providing a future east west cycling connection to the Milton Education Village (MEV);

AND WHEREAS the critical mass of development to support cycling infrastructure at the MEV will take several years to be realized;

AND WHEREAS on street parking and no parking signs in Milton's under construction subdivisions have been a source of confusion and unnecessary hardship for local residents;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT STAFF:

Provide clear signage that denotes No Winter Maintenance of the Bicycle Lane on Bergamot Avenue indicating that the lanes are temporarily closed between November 1st and April 30th allowing on street parking during that time period;



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Install “No Parking” signs on Bergamot Avenue, indicating that parking is not permitted between April 30th and October 31st;

Monitor the rate and pace of development at the MEV and report back to Council at a future date with a reassessment; and

Continue to enforce town of Milton standard parking regulations of a maximum five-hour street parking limit and no parking between 2-6am.