

ITEM 4
MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 62
COUNCIL MEETING 1978 09 11

RE: PETITION FROM DR. JOHN G. GRAHAM WHICH APPEARED ON THE
AGENDA FOR THE 1978 SEPTEMBER 05 MEETING OF COUNCIL (ITEM 4d)
"RESIDENT PARKING ONLY" AND ENFORCEMENT OF ANTI-LITTERING
REGULATIONS

Appearing on last week's agenda was a petition in which residents on
Imperial Street and Mandy Avenue requested the following:

- "THAT
1. The Burnaby Municipal Council be requested to order the immediate erection of "Resident Parking Only" signs in Block 3800 Imperial Street - South side and in 6800 Block Mandy Street - West side.
 2. The Burnaby Municipal Council be requested to enforce anti-littering regulations, in accordance with the warning signs duly posted on both sides of the 3800 Block Imperial Street."

The attached report from the Municipal Engineer contains information on the request for special signing. The Chief Public Health Inspector has investigated the complaint regarding litter and advises as follows:

"An inspection of the concerned area on 1978 August 31 revealed that Golf Course patrons are continuing to litter the curb and boulevard areas at the above-noted residential areas. The litter consists of paper cups, chocolate bar wrappers, empty cigarette containers, score cards and miscellaneous papers; items which are available at the Golf Course Pro Shop.

Mr. W. Spelay, Parks and Recreation official, was contacted and the continuing litter problem discussed. Mr. Spelay agreed to have the concerned areas cleaned of litter, on a daily basis, by Parks and Recreation staff.

Dr. Graham was contacted and advised of this Department's action. We have requested that Dr. Graham contact this office should daily removal of litter not prove satisfactory."

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a copy of this report be sent to Dr. John G. Graham and the other petitioners.

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER
FROM: MUNICIPAL ENGINEER
SUBJECT: PETITION FOR "RESIDENT PARKING ONLY" AND FOR
ENFORCEMENT OF ANTI-LITTERING REGULATIONS

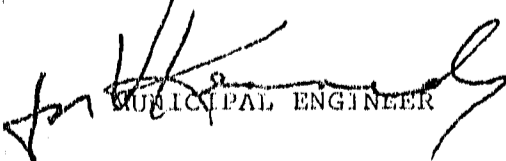
The subject of designating the parking on Municipal streets for the exclusive use of those residents of a particular street was recently considered by the Traffic and Safety Committee in response to a petition from the residents of the Cascade Heights Area.

While the committee was of the opinion that the setting aside of streets for the exclusive use of select groups of citizens should not become a general practice, they did feel that the residents in the "Cascade Heights Area" were experiencing unusual hardships not to be found elsewhere in Burnaby and that an exception should be made in their case. As a result they recommended, and Council approved, the request for "Resident Parking Only" within this area. It was understood that such parking privileges would not be considered in other areas of Burnaby.

In the submission from the complainants, reference is made to the availability of parking within the park site. This is quite true and we have found here, as we find in so many similar situations, that motorists for some reason prefer to park on the adjacent streets rather than taking advantage of internal parking facilities. As noted on the attached copy of an aerial photograph, a person wishing to go to the golf course club house from the parking lot must walk approximately 200 metres as compared to about 80 metres if parked on Imperial near Mandy Avenue. We should also advise that the parking lot entrance from Imperial Street is signed.

In regard to the complaint of litter we would advise that the Parks Board, who normally keep the north boulevard area of Imperial clear of litter, will now extend their coverage to the south boulevard of Imperial Street.

The above is for the information of Council.


MUNICIPAL ENGINEER

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- c.c. () Chief Public Health Inspector
() Parks and Recreation Department
() Secretary, Traffic Safety Committee
() Traffic Supervisor

