

CITY OF BURNABY

TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
(TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVISION)

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS*

RE: PARKING ACCESS AT BURNABY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** Council write to the Burnaby School Board requesting that, for the safety of students, consideration be given at the design stage for new schools or schools planned for modification to improve parking access.

REPORT

The Traffic and Transportation Committee (Traffic Safety Division), at its meeting held on 1997 February 04, received a delegation expressing concerns for the safety of students when being driven to and from Burnaby schools, in particular the Aubrey School site.

Concerns were expressed regarding cars that are parking against traffic signs and in designated crosswalks, causing danger to school children as they are walking to and from the school, problems for access of emergency vehicles and a display of verbal abuses being exhibited when drivers are requested to relocate their automobiles.

It was recommended that a letter be forwarded to the Burnaby School Board requesting that new schools or schools planned for future modification be given consideration at the design stage as to the type of facilities that would allow safe egress and access in driving children to school.

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Respectfully submitted,

Councillor J. Young
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