

CITY OF HAMILTON MOTION

Council: April 10, 2019

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR A. VANDERBEEK.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR J. PARTRIDGE.....

Special Enforcement Area with Increased Fines –Webster and Tews Falls and the Dundas Peak

WHEREAS, the increased visitors to Webster and Tews Falls and the Dundas Peak, Greensville and Dundas neighbourhoods are experiencing serious negative impacts that include, but are not limited to, the following:

- traffic and parking issues for local residents on local streets;
- visitors blocking roadways and residents’ driveways; and,
- emergency vehicle access impacts for residents;

WHEREAS, the installation of “No Parking” signs, extra staff, proactive by-law enforcement on weekends, and use of existing parking enforcement by-laws/fine structures have not been sufficient to address traffic and parking issues;

WHEREAS, it is necessary to implement additional remedial measures at the start of the waterfall viewing season to provide some relief for local residents; and,

WHEREAS, staff, in consultation with the Ward 13 Councillor, have recommended piloting a Special Enforcement Area utilizing an increased fine structure and enforcement strategy.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the By-Law to Amend By-law 01-218 (being a By-law to Regulate On-Street Parking) to enforce parking related matters utilizing a Special Enforcement Area, and 17-225 (being a By-Law to Establish a System of Administrative Penalties) by adding Item 91 to Table 3, attached hereto as Appendix “A”, be enacted