

Date: February 13th, 2019

Report To: Planning & Development Executive Committee

From: Patrick Briere, By-Law Enforcement Officer

Re: Request from Age Friendly Committee – Safe Drop Off/Pick-Up Locations for Adults.

At the regular meeting of Council on January 28th, 2019, Council referred a request letter from Irene Laing, Age Friendly Committee to the Community Services Executive Committee with input from Operations & Facilities Executive Committee and the Planning & Development Executive Committee. The above mentioned Committees have reviewed the request letter and it was determined that the Planning & Development Executive Committee have the By-Law Enforcement Department do further research into this request. At the next regular meeting of Council on February 11th, 2019 approved this request and has referred the item back.

The By-Law Enforcement has completed its research into this request and can advise the answers to the following:

- No other Municipalities have received this type of request. They also do not have any stalls set up for this type of request.
- The main concern that we have along with other Municipalities had when speaking to them was how this type of request would be enforced. Currently within the Traffic By-Law & Highway Traffic Act there is nothing which supports this type of request.

Currently, in the Downtown Area the Town has set up the following parking for people:

- Total of 215 parking stalls in the downtown core. Currently, these parking stalls all have a 2 hour parking limit on them.
- 12 Handicap Parking Stalls implemented in the downtown core.
- 2 Free Parking Lots – 1 beside From the Grind Up & 1 – Near the Legion.
- Portage Avenue Parking lot – which is set up for the first 2 hours, evenings & weekends all free and paid parking outside of these rules.
- Town endorses the Handi-Van Service that is run through Rainycrest as well as a Dial-A-Ride Service through North-Air Services.

The Operations & Facilities Division's comments are attached to this report along with the Community Services report and original letter from the Age Friendly Committee for your reference.

We are asking the Planning & Development Executive Committee to provide direction to Administration regarding this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Original Signed By

Patrick Briere
By-Law Enforcement Officer