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His Worship Don Darling and
Members of Common Council

Your Worship and Councillors:

Subject: Amendment to Parking ByLaw

Background:

There have been a growing number of complaints by citizens that larger cube vans are parking on urban streets for extended periods of time both during business hours and over weekends. In many cases the vehicle is registered to an address in another municipality.

This impacts the ability to effectively remove snow and sweep streets in the spring. As an example, there is a great green space along Beaverbrook Ave but it is hidden for weeks by a large yellow cube vehicle. Neighbors are asking council to fix this situation by amending the bylaw to disallow extended storage parking of commercial vehicles.

Motion:

Refer to City Manager to amend the parking bylaw to allow the parking commissioners and city police powers to ticket and/or tow commercial vehicles that are parking on city streets for extended amounts of time.

Respectfully Submitted,

(Received via email)

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