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<b>TO:</b>	<b>CHAIR AND MEMBERS CIVIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING ON NOVEMBER 3, 2015</b>
<b>FROM:</b>	<b>JOHN BRAAM, P. ENG. MANAGING DIRECTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL &amp; ENGINEERING SERVICES AND CITY ENGINEER</b>
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	<b>AMENDMENTS TO THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW WITH RESPECT TO DESIGNATING BICYCLE LANES</b>

<b>RECOMMENDATION</b>
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That on the recommendation of the Managing Director, Environmental & Engineering Services and City Engineer, the attached proposed by-laws (Appendix A) **BE INTRODUCED** at the Municipal Council meeting to be held on November 10, 2015 for the purpose of amending the Traffic and Parking By-law (P.S. 111) with respect to the designation of bicycle lanes.

<b>2015-19 STRATEGIC PLAN</b>
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The following report supports the Strategic Plan through the strategic focus areas of *Strengthening Our Community* and *Building a Sustainable City* by improving mobility and safety for cyclists through the provision of complete streets, while also encouraging a more active community.

<b>BACKGROUND</b>
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The City of London has installed several dedicated bicycle lanes throughout the city to encourage alternative modes of transportation and to improve safety on the following streets:

1. Cheapside Street from Adelaide Street N to Boullee Street
2. Commissioners Road W from Reynolds Road to Halls Mills Road
3. Egerton Street from the Thames River to Vauxhall Street
4. Elmwood Avenue E from 48 m east of Wharncliffe Road S to Wortley Road
5. Ferndale Avenue south side from Homeview Road to Nixon Avenue
6. Hyde Park Road from Oxford Street West to Canadian National Railway overpass
7. Nixon Avenue Southdale Road East to Ferndale Avenue
8. Oxford Street West from Commissioners Road W to Hyde Park Road;
9. Ridout Street from 108 m north of Commissioners Road East to Base Line Road East;

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- 10. Riverside Drive from Wonderland Road N to Beaverbrook Avenue
- 11. Southdale Road West from Power Centre Entrance (east of Wonderland Road S) to Wharncliffe Road S
- 12. Trafalgar Street from Ash Street/Hyla Street to Highbury Avenue
- 13. Upper Queens Street from Ferndale Avenue to Commissioners Road E
- 14. White Oak Road from Exeter Road to Southdale Road E
- 15. Wonderland Road North from Eagletrace Drive to Sunningdale Road West.

Amendments are required to Schedule 9.1 (Reserved Lane) to restrict of the designated bicycle lanes.

Vehicles that park within designated bicycle lanes can pose a significant safety hazard for other users of the road. To address this issue it is recommended that parking be prohibited in these locations when signs are present. An amendment to Section 10 (No parking in posted locations) is required to implement this recommendation.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:**

This report was prepared by Doug Bolton and Shane Maguire of the Roadway Lighting & Traffic Control Division.

<b>PREPARED BY:</b>	<b>REVIEWED &amp; CONCURRED BY:</b>
<b>SHANE MAGUIRE, P. ENG. DIVISION MANAGER ROADWAY LIGHTING &amp; TRAFFIC CONTROL</b>	<b>EDWARD SOLDO, P.ENG. DIRECTOR, ROADS AND TRANSPORTATION</b>
<b>RECOMMENDED BY:</b>	
<b>JOHN BRAAM, P.ENG. MANAGING DIRECTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL &amp; ENGINEERING SERVICES AND CITY ENGINEER</b>	

Attach:           Appendix A: Proposed Traffic & Parking By-Law Amendments

cc.     City Solicitor's Office  
       Annette Drost, Parking Office

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**APPENDIX A  
BY-LAW TO AMEND THE TRAFFIC & PARKING BY-LAW (P.S. 111)**

Bill No.

By-law No. PS-111

A by-law to amend By-law PS-111 entitled, “A by-law to regulate traffic and the parking of motor vehicles in the City of London.”

WHEREAS subsection 10(2) paragraph 7. Of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipality may pass by-laws to provide any service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable to the public;

AND WHEREAS subsection 5(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as amended, provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London enacts as follows:

**1. No Parking in Posted Locations**

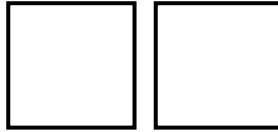
Section 10 (1) (No Parking in Posted Locations) of the By-law PS-111 is hereby amended by adding the following:

- k)      within any part of a reserved lane for bicycles as identified in Section 21.1 of this by-law.

**2. Reserved Lanes**

Schedule 9.1 (Reserved Lanes) of the said By-law PS-111 is hereby amended by **deleting** the following rows:

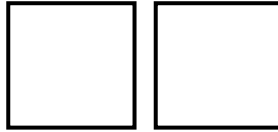
Cheapside St	Boulee St & McNay st	1 <sup>st</sup> Lanee from South	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Cheapside St	Boulee St & McNay St	1 <sup>st</sup> Lane from North	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Oxford Street	Sanitorium Rd & A Point 100m East of Hyde Park Rd	1st lane from North	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Oxford Street	Sanitorium Rd to a point 100m East of Hyde Park Rd	1st lane from South	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle



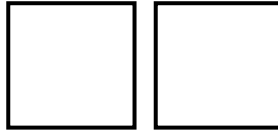
Oxford Street	Sanitorium Rd & A point 100m East of Hyde Park Rd	1st lane from South	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Ridout St	Ingleside Place to Belhaven Road	1st lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
Ridout St	Ingleside Place to Belhaven Road	1st lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle

Schedule "9.1" (Reserved Lanes) of the said By-law PS-111 is hereby amended by **adding** the following row:

Cheapside Street	Adelaide Street North to McNay Street	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Cheapside Street	McNay Street to Adelaide Street North	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Commissioners Road W	Reynolds Road to 181 m west of Boler Road	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Commissioners Road W	Halls Mills Road to 531 m west of Halls Mills Road	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Egerton Street	Thames River to Vauxhall Street	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
Egerton Street	Vauxhall Street to Thames River	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle
Elmwood Avenue E	Wortley Road to 48 m east of Wharncliffe Road S	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Ferndale Avenue	Homeview Road to Nixon Avenue	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Hyde Park Road	Oxford Street W to 100 meters north of Sarnia Road	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
Hyde Park Road	545 meters north of Fitzwilliam Boulevard to Oxford Street W	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle



Nixon Avenue	Southdale Road East to 33 m north of Eden Avenue	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
Nixon Avenue	Southdale Road East to Ferndale Avenue	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle
Oxford Street W	Commissioners Road W to Hyde Park Road	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Oxford Street W	Hyde Park Road to Commissioners Road W	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Ridout Street S	108 m north of Commissioners Road E to 90 m south of the Thames River (south branch)	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
Ridout Street S	108 m north of Commissioners Road E to 90 m south of the Thames River (south branch)	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle
Riverside Drive	Wonderland Road N to 444 m east of Old Riverside Drive	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Riverside Drive	Beaverbrook Avenue to Wonderland Road N	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Southdale Road W	235 m east of Wonderland Road S to Wharnccliffe Road S	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Southdale Road W	Wharnccliffe Road S to 277 m east of Wonderland Road S	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Trafalgar Street	Hyla Street to Highbury Avenue North	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from south	Anytime	Eastbound	Bicycle
Trafalgar Street	Ash Street to Highbury Avenue North	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from north	Anytime	Westbound	Bicycle
Upper Queen Street	33 m north of Eden Avenue to 135 m north of Commissioners Road E	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle



Upper Queen Street	135 m north of Commissioners Road E to Ferndale Avenue	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle
White Oak Road	Exeter Road to Southdale Road E	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
White Oak Road	Southdale Road E to Exeter Road	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle
Wonderland Road N	Eagletrace Drive to Sunningdale Road W	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from east	Anytime	Northbound	Bicycle
Wonderland Road N	Sunningdale Road W to 440 m north of Medway Park Drive	1 <sup>st</sup> lane from west	Anytime	Southbound	Bicycle

This by-law comes into force and effect on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on November 10, 2015

Matt Brown  
Mayor

Catharine Saunders  
City Clerk

First Reading – November 10, 2015  
Second Reading – November 10, 2015  
Third Reading – November 10, 2015