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DOWNTOWN PARKING BY-LAW ENFORCEMENT BEGINS WITH EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

The City of Miramichi will begin a public education campaign as part of the enforcement of the one-hour parking by-law in the two downtown business districts. This initiative is in response to numerous complaints of vehicles exceeding the allowable time limit for free parking in the downtowns.

The City of Miramichi offers free parking in the two downtown business districts and wishes to maintain that service to the public. Ensuring the parking by-law is complied with will make parking easier for those who need it on a short-term basis.

The education campaign will begin September 1, 2022 and continue for one month. During that time, the City's by-law enforcement officers will be monitoring parking spaces in both downtowns. An information leaflet will be placed on vehicles that remain in the parking spaces more than one hour and license plates will be noted.

The leaflet informs the public of the parking by-law, that the vehicle has been in the free parking space for over an hour and where the nearest city owned parking lot is located.

During September, it is the City's intention to issue tickets only to repeat offenders who continue to flagrantly disregard the one-hour parking by-law.

After the one-month education campaign ends, tickets will be issued to the registered owners of vehicles who are in violation the one-hour parking by-law.