

## Reason for removal

1. Our side of the street has two extra houses than the west side. We were originally granted an informal parking exemption to park over the sidewalk during the winter months. Chris Rogers and Glen Grant were part of the original exemption but it was an informal agreement for all houses on our side of the street. This can create issues between neighbours.
2. There are serious safety issues during the summer months also for all the children in the neighbourhood as family and friends have to park on the road and the shoulder over the grass and kids are on bicycles and their view is blocked from oncoming traffic. I have witnessed many close calls when kids are coming off the sidewalk and being blocked by the multiple vehicles.
3. The sidewalk was removed on the other side of 12th st. on both side and they have no sidewalk on either side of the street. We have a sidewalk on the other side of the street which is much further away from the houses than on our side so there is no justifiable reason to keep our path. The city should treat us the same way they treated the home owners on the other side of 12th Street.
4. The sidewalk on our side is not up to code, its more of a narrow pathway which hadnt been shovelled in 10 years until we started getting parking tickets this past winter. So any argument about it being neccessary in the winter is bogus.
5. If ever there was a fire or any emergency workers needed access to any houses on our side it would most likely be blocked.
6. There are many new residents in this neighbourhood and we all have the same problem as 10 years ago. You could give us a parking exemption until the matter of a sidewalk removal is resolved. We had one for 17 years so

there is no reasonable argument not to help us...eg I have a new neighbour who purchased her home and I had to explain I own more of the driveway than her and her boyfriend who lives out of town will get tickets when he comes on the weekends, Our the school teacher who moved in down the road and his girlfriend gets tickets when she stays overnight on the weekends...We deserve the right to have this resolved..

Thanks for your consideration

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This is a petition to the City of Cornwall signed by the residents of Dunkirk Street to either have the sidewalk removed or given a winter parking exemption on the east side of Dunkirk St.

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