

STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Extension of Overnight On-Street Permit Parking Hours – Vancouver Avenue

Date:	August 18, 2008
To:	Toronto and East York Community Council
From:	Manager, Right of Way Management, Transportation Services Toronto and East York District
Wards:	Beaches-East York - Ward 32
Reference Number:	Te08075te.row

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter which Community Council has delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

Transportation Services is requesting approval from Toronto and East York Community Council to extend overnight on-street permit parking hours on Vancouver Avenue, between Queen Street East and the north end of Vancouver Avenue, from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week, to 4:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

By extending overnight on-street permit parking hours, the Parking Enforcement Unit, Toronto Police Service, can effectively control long term parking by patrons of nearby businesses on Queen Street East, through their tagging and towing operations.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that Toronto and East York Community Council:

1. approve the extension of overnight on-street permit parking hours of operation on Vancouver Avenue, between Queen Street East and the north end of Vancouver Avenue, from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week, to 4:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

Financial Impact

Type of funding	Source of funds	Amount
Available within current budget	Toronto Transportation Services 2008 operating budget	\$150

ISSUE BACKGROUND

A request was received from Councillor Sandra Bussin, on behalf of area residents, for the extension of overnight on-street permit parking hours on Vancouver Avenue, between Queen Street East and the north end of Vancouver Avenue, from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week, to 4:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

COMMENTS

Vancouver Avenue, between Queen Street East and the north end of Vancouver Avenue, is a local street operating two-way north/southbound, on a pavement width of 7.3 metres. No TTC service operates on Vancouver Avenue. Currently parking is prohibited at all times on the west side of the street. Parking is allowed for a maximum period of 3 hours on the east side of the street with overnight on-street permit parking in effect from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

Area residents requested the extension of overnight on-street permit parking hours on Vancouver Avenue, between Queen Street East and the north end of Vancouver Avenue, to alleviate the problem of long term parking by patrons of nearby businesses on Queen Street East.

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ATTACHMENTS

Appendix 'A' – area map

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