



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Removal of On-Street Parking Space for Persons with Disabilities – Old Dundas Street

Date:	August 14, 2009
To:	Etobicoke York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services - Etobicoke York District
Wards:	Ward 13 - Parkdale-High Park
Reference Number:	p:\2009\Cluster B\TRA\EtobicokeYork\eycc090121-to

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to obtain approval for the removal of an on-street parking space for persons with disabilities on the south side of Old Dundas Street, east of Lundy Avenue.

As the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) operates a transit service on Old Dundas Street, City Council approval of this report is required.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that City Council:

1. Approve the removal of the on-street parking space for persons with disabilities on the south side of Old Dundas Street, between a point 63 metres east of Lundy Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further east.

Financial Impact

Type of funding	Source of funds	Amount
Available within current budget	Transportation Services Operating Budget	\$300.00

ISSUE BACKGROUND

The Transportation Services Division receives numerous requests for the installation and removal of on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities. Some of these requests come directly from members of the public and others are received through the local Councillors' offices.

Designated on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities are a convenience provided for disabled persons and/or those who transport them, making it easier for them to find available parking as near as possible to their places of residence or intended destinations and reducing the distance that the disabled persons must walk. Timely removal of designated on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities when these on-street spaces are no longer required is necessary in order to maximize available on-street parking for other residents/motorists.

The original applicant for the subject on-street parking space has advised that he is moving and will no longer require this space.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services staff have investigated and recommend removing the on-street parking space for persons with disabilities on the south side of Old Dundas Street, east of Lundy Avenue. Old Dundas Street is a local roadway with an established TTC route.

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