

MOTION

January 9, 2009

Short Term Parking – Grenville Street, south side, between Bay Street and Yonge Street		
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Moved by:	Councillor Rae
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Reopening of Item TE15.44

SUMMARY:

This motion is about a matter for which the Community Council has delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

At its meeting on May 6, 2008, Toronto and East York Community Council adopted Recommendations 2, 3 and 4 of the report (April 16, 2008), Item TE15.44, from the Director, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District to restrict parking to a maximum period of 20 minutes on the south side of Grenville Street in the vicinity of the “Native Child and Family Services of Toronto” building when children are picked up or dropped off.

Subsequently, Transportation Services was requested by staff of “Native Child and Family Services of Toronto” to relocate the short term parking zone further west of its present location to prevent children from crossing in front of an underground parking garage entrance when being dropped off or picked up. Staff of the “Native Child and Family Services of Toronto” were concerned with the potential for pedestrian conflicts with vehicles exiting the underground garage. I request that Recommendation 2, 3, and 4 of the report (April 16, 2008) of Item TE15.44, from the Director, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District be re-opened so that Community Council can approve an amendment which would allow for the safe and efficient movement of children attending this facility on Grenville Street.

REQUIRES RE-OPENING (2/3rds vote):

Re-open Recommendation Nos. 2, 3, and 4 of Toronto and East York Community Council, Item TE15.44 adopted by Toronto and East York Community Council on May 6, 2008.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Recommendation Nos. 2, 3 and 4 of Toronto and East York Community Council, Item TE15.44 be replaced with the following Recommendations:

2. Authorize the operation of parking machines from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday and from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Sunday for a maximum period of 3 hours at a rate of \$2.50 per hour on the south side of Grenville Street from Bay Street to a point 98 metres east and from a point 116.5 metres east of Bay Street to Yonge Street.

3. Allow parking for a maximum period of twenty minutes from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday to Friday on the south side of Grenville Street, from a point 98 metres east of Bay Street to a point 18.5 metres further east.
4. Prohibit parking from 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m., Monday to Friday and at all times Saturday and Sunday on the south side of Grenville Street, from a point 98 metres east of Bay Street to a point 18.5 metres further east.