

Introduction of a new Permit Parking Area '14D'

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| To: | Toronto and East York Community Council |
| From: | Manager, Right of Way Management, Transportation Services Toronto and East York District |
| Wards: | St. Paul's - Ward 22 |
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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 create a new permit parking area to be known as Area '14D'. This proposed area would comprise of the following streets: Cottingham Street, between Avenue Road and Poplar Plains Road; Mc Master Avenue, between Avenue Road and Rathnelly Avenue; MacPherson Avenue, between Avenue Road and Poplar Plains Road; and Rathnelly Avenue, between Poplar Plains Crescent and MacPherson Avenue. Currently the permit parking program on these streets operate on a street name basis.

The grouping of these streets within the boundary of the proposed area '14D' would allow for the consolidation of an existing 126 on-street parking spaces that would be at the disposal of all existing permit holders and accommodate the current wait list of applicants on Cottingham Street.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends to City Council that:

1. Schedule B of Municipal Code Chapter 925 be amended to incorporate a new permit parking area '14D', as attached in Appendix 'A' of this staff report; and
2. the permit parking program on Cottingham Street, between Avenue Road and Poplar Plains Road; Mc Master Avenue, between Avenue Road and Rathnelly

Avenue; MacPherson Avenue, between Avenue Road and Poplar Plains Road; and Rathnelly Avenue, between Poplar Plains Crescent and MacPherson Avenue; be converted from the street name program to the area based program.

Financial Impact

| Type of funding | Source of funds | Amount |
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| Available within current budget | Toronto Transportation Services Interim 2009 operating budget | \$100.00 |

ISSUE BACKGROUND

A request was received from Councillor Michael Walker, on behalf of area residents for the creation of a new permit parking area comprising of Cottingham Street, between Avenue Road and Poplar Plains Road; Mc Master Avenue, between Avenue Road and Rathnelly Avenue; MacPherson Avenue, between Avenue Road and Poplar Plains Road; and Rathnelly Avenue, between Poplar Plains Crescent and MacPherson Avenue.

COMMENTS

The grouping of these streets within the boundary of the proposed permit parking area '14D' would allow for the consolidation of the existing 126 on-street parking spaces that would be at the disposal to all of the 94 existing permit holders within the area. In addition it would also accommodate an increase in the demand for overnight on-street permit parking by eliminating the current waiting list of 15 applicants from Cottingham Street.

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ATTACHMENTS

Appendix 'A' – area map

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