

**Extend hours of existing short term parking area –  
Market Street**

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<b>To:</b>	Toronto and East York Community Council
<b>From:</b>	Director, Transportation Services Toronto and East York District
<b>Wards:</b>	Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 28
<b>Reference Number:</b>	Ts09084te.top.doc

**SUMMARY**

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

Transportation Services is seeking authority to amend the parking regulations on the west side of Market Street to increase the hours of the existing short term parking area which will provide parking opportunities for parents picking up or dropping off children attending St. Lawrence Co-operative Daycare.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

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**Transportation Services recommends that the Toronto and East York Community Council:**

1. Rescind the existing ‘No Standing 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday’ regulation on the west side of Market Street, between a point 52.5 metres south of The Esplanade and a point 16 metres further south.
2. Rescind the existing 10-minute maximum parking limit from 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the west side of Market Street, between a point 52.5 metres south of The Esplanade and a point 16 metres further south.
3. Implement a 10-minute maximum parking limit from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the west side of Market Street, between a point 52.5 metres south of The Esplanade and a point 16 metres further south.

## FINANCIAL IMPACT

Type of Funding	Source of Funds	Amount
Available within current budget	Transportation Services Division 2009 Operating Budget	\$ 500.00

## ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services staff has investigated the feasibility of extending the hours of the existing short term parking area on Market Street in response to a request from St. Lawrence Co-operative Daycare. A representative of the daycare, in consultation with Councillor McConnell's office, requested the change in hours to assist parents when picking up and dropping off children at the daycare.

## COMMENTS

St. Lawrence Co-operative Daycare is located on the west side of Market Street, south of the Esplanade. Market Street is a north/south local road operating two-way on a pavement width of 9.7 metres between Wilton Street and the south end. There is no TTC service on Market Street. The following parking regulations are in effect on the subject section of Market Street:

- 10-minute parking; 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday;
- No Standing ; 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday; and
- No Parking; 6:00 p.m. of one day to 7:30 a.m. of the next following day, Monday to Friday.

The proposed times for the 10-minute parking area would be in effect from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. This change will assist parents when picking up and dropping off children at the daycare and should not inconvenience other road users.

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