



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Disabled Persons' Parking – EYD – August 2010

Date:	July 28, 2010
To:	Etobicoke York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Etobicoke York District
Wards:	Ward 17 – Davenport
Reference Number:	p:\2010\Cluster B\TRA\EtobicokeYork\eycc100140-tp

SUMMARY

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

The purpose is to obtain approval for the installation of a number of on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities.

RECOMMENDATION

Transportation Services recommends that:

1. Etobicoke York Community Council approves the installation of on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities at the locations identified in the attached Appendix A.

Financial Impact

Funds in the amount of \$600.00 are available within Transportation Services Division's 2010 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services 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.

The installation of designated on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities is a convenience provided for disabled persons and/or those who transport them. It is 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. Delays in installing these requested on-street parking spaces may create hardship for disabled applicants.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services staff have investigated the feasibility of installing on-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities at the locations identified in the attached Appendix A. There is no section of roadway at these locations that is served by Toronto Transit Commission transit routes.

For locations where on-street disabled persons' parking spaces are being established, each applicant holds a valid Accessible Parking Permits issued by the Ministry of Transportation and each designated space will not result in the loss of more than one on-street parking space for general use.

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ATTACHMENT

Appendix A

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On-street parking spaces for persons with disabilities to be installed:

<u>Ward</u>	<u>Location</u>
17	Gilbert Avenue, east side, between a point 130.0 metres south of Innes Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further south.
17	Sellers Avenue, west side, between a point 116.0 metres south of Morrison Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further south.