STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Parking Regulation Amendment – Weston Road

| Date: | September 20, 2013 |
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| To: | Etobicoke York Community Council |
| From: | Director, Transportation Services - Etobicoke York District |
| Wards: | Ward 11 – York South–Weston |
| Reference Number: | p:\2013\Cluster B\TRA\EtobicokeYork\eycc130116-to |

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to obtain approval for the introduction of a "No Parking Anytime" regulation, on the east side of Weston Road, between a point 60 metres north of Church Street to a point 75 metres further north.

Since the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) provides service on Weston Road, City Council approval of this report is required.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that City Council approve:

1. Enacting a "No Parking Anytime" prohibition on the east side of Weston Road, between a point 60 metres north of Church Street to a point 75 metres further north

Financial Impact

| Type of Funding | Source of Funds | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--|----------|
| Available within current budget | Transportation Services Operating Budget | \$300.00 |

ISSUE BACKGROUND

The Ward Councillor has requested the Transportation Services Division to assess the feasibility of introducing a "No Parking Anytime" prohibition in the area of Elphick Lane. This prohibition will eliminate an issue with heavy trucks parking on the east side of Weston Road and obstructing sight lines for vehicles exiting Elphick Lane. A map of the area is Attachment 1.

COMMENTS

Weston Road, in the vicinity of Elphick Lane, is a minor arterial roadway, which operates two-way with a posted speed limit of 50 km/h and a pavement width of 18 metres. Parking is prohibited 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, on the west side of Weston Road, between Church Street and a point 152.5 metres south of Parke Street. On the east side of Weston Road, in the vicinity of Elphick Lane, parking is allowed for a maximum period of three hours. Elphick Lane is a private road. The TTC operates a transit bus service on Weston Road.

Transportation Services staff has determined that it is feasible to introduce a "No Parking Anytime" prohibition on the east side of Weston Road between a point 60 metres north of Church Street to a point 75 metres further north. The intention of this prohibition is to improve sight lines for motorists exiting Elphick Lane by removing a parking space.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Map