June 26, 2006

To: Toronto and East York Community Council

From: City Clerk

Subject: Poll Results - Implementation of Overnight On-Street Permit Parking on both sides of Warland Avenue between O'Connor Drive and Donlands Avenue. (Ward 29 - Toronto-Danforth)

Purpose:

To report on the results of a poll of the residents of Warland Avenue, between O'Connor Drive and Donlands Avenue to determine support for the implementation of overnight on-street permit parking.

Financial Implications and Impact Statement:

There are no financial implications to this report.

Recommendations:

It is recommended that this report be received for information.

Background:

City Council, at its meeting on April 25, 26 and 27, 2006, directed the City Clerk to poll the residents of Warland Avenue, between O’Connor Drive and Donlands Avenue, to determine support for the implementation of overnight on-street parking, on a street name basis, during the hours of 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

Comments:

A poll was conducted by the City Clerk’s Office between May 15, 2006 and June 14, 2006, and the results of the poll are as follows:

Number of residents polled: 57
Number of responses: 34
Number in favour: 22
Number opposed: 11
Comments returned with the poll have been provided to the Ward Councillor.

Permit Parking By-Law 20-96 of the former Borough of East York states that Council may enact the proposed by-law one month following the date of mailing of the poll if the poll results indicate from 50% or more of those residents polled are in favour of the proposed permit parking.

If the Community Council is in support of the implementation of overnight permit parking in this area, an appropriate motion would be to recommend to City Council that:

1. overnight on-street permit parking be implemented on Blair Street, between Tucker Street and the east-west branch of Blair Street and on Blair Street, between Tucker Street and Northline Road, on an area basis, within a newly designated permit parking area “9K”, during the hours of 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m., 7 days a week and authority be granted for the introduction of the necessary bill in Council; and

2. the appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect to the foregoing.

Conclusions:

The Toronto and East York Community Council is requested to consider the poll results and determine whether or not to recommend the implementation of overnight on-street permit parking on Warland Avenue, between O’Connor Drive and Donlands Avenue.

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