

Parking Amendments – Gladstone Avenue

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To:	Toronto and East York Community Council
From:	Acting Director, Transportation Services Toronto and East York District
Wards:	Davenport, Ward 18
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SUMMARY

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

Transportation Services is requesting authority to adjust the hours of the “No Standing, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., daily” regulation, on the west side of Gladstone Avenue, opposite the shipping/receiving docks at Cadbury Adams Canada, 277 Gladstone Avenue to operate from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday and from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Saturday and Sunday.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends that Toronto and East York Community Council:

1. Rescind the “No Standing, from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.” regulation, on the west side of Gladstone Avenue, from a point 184.4 metres north of Dundas Street West to a point 50.6 metres further north.
2. Approve implementation of a "No Standing, from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday and 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Saturday and Sunday" regulation, on the west side of Gladstone Avenue, from a point 184.4 metres north of Dundas Street West to a point 50.6 metres further north.

Financial Impact

Funds to undertake the necessary signage adjustments in the estimated amount of \$400.00 are contained within Transportation Services 2012 Interim Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

Transportation Services has investigated a request from Councillor Bailão in consultation with Cadbury Adams Canada, 277 Gladstone Avenue to adjust the hours of the existing "No Standing,

from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., daily regulation on the west side of Gladstone Avenue, from a point 184.4 metres north of Dundas Street West to a point 50.6 metres further north, directly opposite the shipping/receiving bays, to operate from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., on Saturday and Sunday to allow local residents an extended period of parking on the weekends.

COMMENTS:

Gladstone Avenue, between Dundas Street West and College Street is a local road operating two-way on a pavement width of 7.3 metres. The posted speed limit is 40 km/h. There is no TTC service on this section of Gladstone Avenue.

The "No Standing, from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., daily" regulation on the west side of Gladstone Avenue, from a point 184.4 metres north of Dundas Street West to a point 50.6 metres further north opposite the Cadbury Adams Canada factory is intended to provide transport/large trucks servicing the factory with unobstructed access to/from their shipping/receiving docks. These vehicles when entering/exiting the property require the full width of Gladstone Avenue to manoeuvre in/out of the shipping/receiving bays.

The factory is in operation 7-days a week, however, delivery trucks accessing the shipping/receiving bays during the weekends only operate during the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m..

Approval of the recommendations indicated in this report will facilitate the residents' request to provide an extended period to park in front of their residences in the morning and early evening hours on weekends, without adversely impacting delivery vehicles accessing the shipping/receiving docks.

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LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

(1) Drawing No. 421G-0530, dated December 2011

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