



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Reduction of Overnight On-Street Permit Parking Hours – Christie Street

Date:	May 31, 2013
To:	City Council
From:	Manager, Right of Way Management Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District
Wards:	St Paul's – Ward 21
Reference Number:	Te2013032te.row

SUMMARY

Transportation Services is requesting authority from City Council to reduce the Permit Parking hours of operation on Christie Street.

Councillor Joe Mihevc requested a reduction to the overnight on-street permit parking hours of operation on Christie Street, between Tyrrel Avenue and St. Clair Avenue West from the current 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week, to 12:01 a.m. to 6:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

The reduction of the overnight on-street permit parking hours would allow non permit holders, such as visitors and vendors of the Wychwood Farmers Market, to park during non-permit parking hours, without being subject to tagging by Parking Enforcement Officers.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Transportation Services recommends:

1. City Council rescind the existing parking by permit only from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., at all times, on the odd side of Christie Street, from St. Clair Avenue West to Ellsworth Avenue.
2. City Council rescind the existing parking by permit only from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., at all times, on the odd side of Christie Street, from Tyrrel Avenue to Ellsworth Avenue.

3. City Council rescind the existing parking by permit only from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., at all times, on the even side of Christie Street, from St. Clair Avenue West to Ellsworth Avenue.
4. City Council rescind the existing parking by permit only from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., at all times, on the even side of Christie Street, from Tyrrel Avenue to Ellsworth Avenue.
5. City Council authorize parking by permit from 12:01 a.m. to 6:00 a.m., at all times, on the odd side of Christie Street, from St. Clair Avenue West to Tyrrel Avenue.
6. City Council authorize parking by permit from 12:01 a.m. to 6:00 a.m., at all times, on the even side of Christie Street, from St. Clair Avenue West to Tyrrel Avenue.

Financial Impact

The amount of \$400.00 is available within the current Toronto Transportation Services 2013 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

A request was received from Councillor Joe Mihevc to reduce the overnight on-street permit parking hours of operation on Christie Street, between Tyrrel Avenue and St. Clair Avenue West from the current 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., 7 days a week, to 12:01 a.m. to 6:00 a.m., 7 days a week.

COMMENTS

Christie Street, between Tyrrel Avenue and St. Clair Avenue West is a local street operating in a two-way north/southbound direction, on a pavement width of 14.6 metres from Tyrrel Avenue to Benson Avenue and 14 metres from Benson Avenue to St. Clair Avenue West. There is TTC Service on Christie Street. Parking is permitted on both sides of the subject section of Christie Street by permit only from 12:01 a.m. to 7:00 a.m. daily, with a maximum temporal parking duration of 3 hours at all other times.

A Public Notice was placed in a major newspaper on March 21, 2013, with an expiration date to raise objections of April 4, 2013. The City Clerk has confirmed that no written objection was received by the expiration date.

Transportation Services, Traffic Operations Unit has no objections to reducing the hours of operation for permit parking so as to terminate at 6:00 a.m. instead of the current 7:00 a.m.

Councillor Joe Mihevc requested a reduction to the on-street permit parking hours to alleviate the problem of tagging of visitors and vendors of the Wychwood Farmers Market

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ATTACHMENTS

Appendix 'A' – area map

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