Conversion of French Avenue and Mariposa Avenue from "Street Name" to "Area Based" Permit Parking and the creation of Permit Parking Area "12B"

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**SUMMARY**

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

Transportation Services is requesting approval from Etobicoke York Community Council to convert Permit Parking on French Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West and Mariposa Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West, from the current “Street Name” to the "Area Based" Permit Parking Program, within a new Permit Area to be known as "12B".

Transportation Services recommends approval of this proposal as it will allow greater parking flexibility to residents.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

Transportation Services recommends that Etobicoke York Community Council:

1. Amend Schedule 'B' of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Chapter 925, Permit Parking, to incorporate a new permit parking area "12B", as attached in Appendix "A" of the report dated January 29, 2014, entitled "Conversion of French Avenue and Mariposa Avenue from "Street Name" to "Area Based" Permit Parking and creation of Permit Parking Area "12B" from the Manager, Right of Way Management, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District.
FINANCIAL IMPACT
The amount of $50.00 is available within the current Transportation Services 2014 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND
Councillor Frances Nunziata, on behalf of area residents, requested that Transportation Services examine and report to Community Council regarding the conversion of permit parking on French Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West and Mariposa Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West, from the current “Street Name” to the ”Area Based” Permit Parking. The Councillor also requested that a new permit parking area be created to be known as area "12B". This new area is to include the streets noted above, as well as the north side of St Clair Avenue West, between French Avenue and Mariposa Avenue.

COMMENTS
French Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West is a local street operating in a one-way southbound direction, with a pavement width of 7.3 metres. There is no TTC service on French Avenue. Parking is allowed on the west side of the street for a maximum period of three hours with permit parking in effect from 12:00 midnight to 6:00 a.m., seven days a week. Parking is prohibited at any time on the east side of the street.

Mariposa Avenue, between French Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West is a local street operating in a one-way southbound direction, on a pavement width of 7.3 metres. There is no TTC service on Mariposa Avenue. Parking is allowed on the west side of the street for a maximum period of three hours with permit parking in effect from 12:00 midnight to 6:00 a.m., seven days a week. Parking is prohibited at any time on the east side of the street.

The grouping of these streets within the boundary of the proposed permit parking area "12B" would allow for the consolidation of the existing 61 on-street parking spaces that would be at the disposal to all of the 26 existing permit holders within the area. In addition, the newly proposed area would allow residents of the north side of St Clair Avenue West between French Avenue and Mariposa Avenue the ability to obtain on-street parking permits.
Transportation Services has no objections to the conversion of French Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West and Mariposa Avenue, between Pritchard Avenue and St Clair Avenue West from "Street Name" to "Area Based" Permit Parking and the creation of Permit Parking Area "12B".

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ATTACHMENTS
Appendix ‘A’ – area map

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