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STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Installation of Accessible Parking Space – EYD – April 2015 (Non-Delegated)

Date:	March 23, 2015
То:	Etobicoke York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Etobicoke York District
Wards:	Ward 17 - Davenport
Reference Number:	p:\2015\Cluster B\TRA\EtobicokeYork\eycc150073-to

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to obtain approval for the installation of an on-street accessible parking space for persons with disabilities.

As the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) operates a transit service on the subject street, City Council approval of this report is required.

RECOMMENDATION

Transportation Services recommends that:

1. City Council approve the installation of an on-street accessible parking space at the location identified in Appendix A attached to the report dated March 23, 2015, from the Director, Transportation Services, Etobicoke - York District.

Financial Impact

Funds in the amount of \$300.00 are available within the Transportation Services Division's 2015 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

The Transportation Services Division receives numerous requests for the installation and removal of on-street accessible parking spaces for persons with disabilities. Some of these requests come directly from members of the public and others are received through the local Councillors' offices.

The installation of designated on-street accessible parking spaces is a convenience provided for persons with disabilities and/or those who transport them, making it easier for them to find available parking as near as possible to their places of residence or intended destinations and reducing the distances that the disabled persons must walk. Delays in installing these on-street accessible spaces may create hardships for disabled applicants.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services staff have investigated and recommend installing an on-street accessible parking space at the location identified in Appendix A included in this report. This section of roadway is served by a TTC transit route.

For locations where on-street accessible parking spaces are being established, all applicants are holders of valid Accessible Parking Permits issued by the Ministry of Transportation and each designated space will not result in the loss of more than one on-street parking space for general use.

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ATTACHMENT

Appendix A

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On-street accessible parking space to be installed:

- Ward Location
- 17 Davenport Road, south side, between a point 77.2 metres east of Lightbourn Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further east