



STAFF REPORT ACTION REQUIRED

Accessible Parking Space – EYD – April 2016 (Non-Delegated)

Date:	April 18, 2016
To:	Etobicoke York Community Council
From:	Director, Transportation Services, Etobicoke York District
Wards:	Ward 13 - Parkdale High-Park
Reference Number:	p:\2016\Cluster B\TRA\EtobicokeYork\eycc160073-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 authorize the installation of an on-street accessible parking space at the location identified in Appendix A attached to the report dated April 18, 2016, 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 2016 Operating Budget.

ISSUE BACKGROUND

The Transportation Services Division receives numerous requests for the installation/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.

Timely removal of designated on-street accessible parking spaces when these on-street spaces are no longer required is necessary in order to maximize available on-street parking for other residents/motorists.

COMMENTS

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

The applicant is a holder of a valid Accessible Parking Permit issued by the Ministry of Transportation and the 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:

<u>Ward</u>	<u>Location</u>
13	Annette Street, south side, between a point 48 metres west of Runnymede Road and a point 5.5 metres further west