

## City Council

### Motion without Notice

MM34.37	ACTION			Ward:All
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#### **Appeals for Front Yard and Boulevard Parking Applications - by Councillor Ana Bailão, seconded by Councillor Gord Perks**

*\* This Motion is subject to a re-opening of Item PW22.5. A two-thirds vote is required to re-open that Item. If re-opened, the previous Council decision remains in force unless Council decides otherwise.*

*\* This Motion has been deemed urgent by the Chair.*

#### **Recommendations**

Councillor Ana Bailão, seconded by Councillor Gord Perks, recommends that:

1. City Council amend Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 918, Parking on Residential Front Yards and Boulevards, to add a new subsection 918-21D substantially as follows:

D. § 918-21C shall not apply to a front yard parking application and/or boulevard parking application where all relevant fees had been paid and the elements for that application required by § 918-8 had been received to the satisfaction of the General Manager, Transportation Services, on or before July 31, 2017.

2. City Council direct the General Manager, Transportation Services, to reconsider any appeals under Chapter 918, Parking on Residential Front Yards and Boulevards, for applications which meet the criteria for an exempt application under § 918-21D and had an appeal not accepted on the basis of non-compliance with § 918-21C between July 7, 2017 and September 31, 2017, provided a new request for an exemption to Chapter 918, Parking on Residential Front Yards and Boulevards, is received to the satisfaction of the General Manager, Transportation Services, in accordance with § 918-21A prior to December 31, 2017. The appeals described in Recommendation 2 shall be reconsidered:

- a. without requiring a new application;
- b. without applying the provisions of § 918-21C; and
- c. without requiring the applicant to pay a new appeal fee where the applicant had previously paid the appeal fee for the application to the satisfaction of the General Manager, Transportation Services.

#### **Summary**

At its meeting of July 4, 5, 6 and 7, 2017, City Council adopted Item PW22.5 which amended City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 918, Parking on Residential Front Yards and Boulevards, to provide that the General Manager, Transportation Services, may only accept an appeal under that chapter where the ground for that appeal is a refusal of the application on the basis of a negative poll result and/or a refusal of the application on the basis of 918-8C(3) (the permit parking subscription threshold requirement). These amendments took effect on July 7, 2017.

This Motion seeks to further amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 918, Parking on Residential Front Yards and Boulevards, to ensure that residents who submitted a complete application for front yard parking and/or boulevard parking to the satisfaction of the General Manager, Transportation Services, prior to July 31, 2017 may continue to appeal their applications on grounds other than those set out in Item PW22.5. This Motion also permits applicants who had their appeals denied on the basis of non-compliance with § 918-21C between July 7, 2017 and September 1, 2017 to have their appeals reconsidered by the General Manager, Transportation Services, without the provisions of § 918-21C applying to that reconsideration.

#### **REQUIRES RE-OPENING:**

Public Works and Infrastructure Committee Item PW22.5 - City Council meeting July 4, 5, 6 and 7, 2017, as it relates to the effective date of the amendments to the grounds for appeals under City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 918, Parking on Residential Front Yards and Boulevards.

#### **Background Information (City Council)**

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