

## **On-Street Accessible Parking Space - Elm Road**

**Date:** November 21, 2016

**To:** North York Community Council

**From:** Director, Transportation Services Division, North York District

**Wards:** Ward 16 - Eglinton - Lawrence

### **SUMMARY**

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This staff report is about a matter for which Community Council has delegated authority to make a final decision, provided that it is not amended so that it varies with City policy or by-laws.

Transportation Services is requesting North York Community Council to authorize the installation of an on-street accessible parking space on the west side of Elm Road.

The installation of an on-street accessible parking space will address the needs of a local resident while reducing the available on-street parking by one space.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The Director, Transportation Services, North York District recommends that:

1. North York Community Council designate an accessible parking space to operate at all times on the west side of Elm Road, from a point 21 metres south of Douglas Avenue to a point 5.5 metres further south.

### **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

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All costs associated with amendments to the parking regulations on Elm Road are included within the Transportation Services 2017 Interim Operating Budget.

### **DECISION HISTORY**

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This report addresses a new initiative.

## COMMENTS

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Transportation Services was requested by a resident of Elm Road, to investigate the feasibility of installing an on-street accessible parking space on the west side of Elm Road.

Elm Road is an 8.5 metre wide two-way local road with sidewalks on both sides of the road.

Currently, parking is permitted for a maximum period of three hours on both sides of the roadway. Overnight parking is allowed on both sides of the roadway for permit holders. There are a total of 15 on-street parking spaces available on Elm Road between Glengarry Avenue and Douglas Avenue, and currently 2 parking permits have been issued to residents for this section of roadway.

The applicant is a holder of a valid "Accessible Parking Permit" issued by the Ministry of Transportation of Ontario.

The requested location of the on-street accessible parking space would be on the west side of Elm Road located 21 metres south of south of Douglas Avenue to a point 5.5 metres further south.

The installation of an on-street accessible parking space will not have a negative impact on the flow of traffic on Elm Road, although one less parking space will be available for overnight permit parking.

The Ward Councillor is aware of the recommendations of this staff report.

## CONTACT

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## SIGNATURE

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## ATTACHMENTS

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Attachment 1: Map - Elm Road Proposed Parking Space