Removal of On-Street Accessible Loading Zone – Euclid Avenue

Date: October 26, 2017
To: Toronto and East York Community Council
From: Acting Director, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District
Wards: Ward 19, Trinity-Spadina

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter that 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 approval to remove a designated on-street accessible loading zone, on the west side of Euclid Avenue, north of College Street. The accessible permit holder who originally requested the loading zone has moved and no longer requires the space.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Acting Director, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District recommends that:

1. Toronto and East York Community Council rescind the existing on-street accessible loading zone that operates from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., daily, on the west side of Euclid Avenue, from a point 136.5 metres north of College Street to a point 5.5 metres further north.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

All cost associated with the necessary signage adjustments are included within the Transportation Services 2017 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

Toronto and East York Community Council at its meeting on April 27, 2010 enacted By-law No. 431-2010 designating an accessible loading zone on the west side of Euclid Avenue, from a point 136.5 metres north of College Street to a point 5.5 metres further north, operating from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., daily (Item TE33.52).
COMMENTS

Euclid Avenue, north of College Street, is a local roadway that operates one-way in the northbound direction. It has a posted speed limit of 30 km/h. Alternate side parking regulations are in effect on this section of Euclid Avenue. The following regulations operate in conjunction with the alternate side parking regulations:

- No Parking Except By Permit, 12:01 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., daily; and
- Two-hour maximum parking, at other times.

There is no TTC service on Euclid Avenue.

The resident who originally requested the accessible loading zone on Euclid Avenue advised staff that he has moved and no longer requires this space for pick-up and drop-off purposes. The removal of the loading zone will result in one additional parking space on this section of Euclid Avenue.

Councillor Mike Layton has been advised of the recommendations of this staff report.

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Drawing No. 421G-2619, dated October 2017

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