

Installation of On-Street Accessible Parking Spaces - December 2016 (Non-Delegated)

Date: December 15, 2016
To: Toronto and East York Community Council
From: Acting Director, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District
Wards: Ward19, Trinity-Spadina; Ward 32, Beaches-East York

SUMMARY

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

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

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

1. City Council approve the installation of on-street accessible parking spaces at the locations identified in Appendix A attached to the report dated December 15, 2016, from the Acting Director, Transportation Services, Toronto and East York District.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Funds in the amount of \$600.00 are available within the Transportation Services Division's 2017 Interim Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

The Transportation Services Division receives numerous requests for the installation 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 people 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 people must walk. Delays in installing these on-street accessible spaces may create hardships for disabled applicants.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services staff have investigated the feasibility of installing on-street accessible parking spaces at the locations identified in Appendix A included in this report. These sections of roadway are served by TTC transit routes.

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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Appendix A

On-street accessible parking spaces to be installed:

Ward	Location
19	Dovercourt Road, east side, between a point 102.6 metres south of Shanly Street and a point 6 metres further south
32	Woodbine Avenue, east side, between a point 84.5 metres north of Duvernet Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north