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REPORT FOR ACTION

Designation of Fire Routes and amendment to Chapter 880 - Fire Routes - 250 Royal York Road

Date: January 27, 2023
To: Etobicoke York Community Council
From: Fire Chief and General Manager
Wards: 3

SUMMARY

To obtain Etobicoke York Community Council approval for the amendment of the Fire Route By-law, to designate certain locations as fire routes within the meaning of City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 880, as amended.

Fire Services use designated fire routes as a key mechanism in regulating fire prevention, including the prevention of the spreading of fires and the delivery of fire protection services.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Fire Chief and General Manager, recommends that:

1. Etobicoke York Community Council designate that part or those parts of the private road or roads shown on the site plan filed with the Fire Chief, in respect of the municipal addresses set out below, as fire routes pursuant to Municipal Code Chapter 880 - Fire Routes - 250 Royal York Road.

2. Etobicoke York Community Council authorize the Fire Chief and City Solicitor to take the appropriate action to make a designated Fire Route.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There are no financial implications associated with this report.

DECISION HISTORY

Fire Services receives applications from property owners to designate locations on their properties as fire routes under City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 880. The fire route prohibits the parking of vehicles at the designated location and provides for the removal of such vehicles, to allow continuous access to Fire Services vehicles, equipment and apparatus for the prevention and protection against fires.

Site plans submitted with the applications are examined by Fire Services staff and the locations are recommended for designation as fire routes so long as they satisfy the requirements of Chapter 880, as amended.

COMMENTS

Designation of fire routes ensure appropriate access for fire vehicles across the City and assist with regulating fire prevention and reduce the negative impact of fire on human lives, property and the environment. An application has been received to designate fire routes for the following locations in the City of Toronto:

- 250 Royal York Road

Site plans for this location have been examined by Fire Services. The Fire Chief and General Manager recommends that the fire route be designated for the above location to assist with public safety for residents.

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ATTACHMENTS

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