

Accessible Parking Spaces - November 2023 (Delegated)

Date: October 30, 2023

To: Toronto and East York Community Council

From: Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 4, Parkdale-High Park; Ward 9, Davenport; Ward 14, Toronto-Danforth;
Ward 19, Beaches-East York

SUMMARY

This staff report is about a matter that Community Council has delegated authority from City Council to make a final decision.

Transportation Services is requesting approval for the installation/removal of on-street accessible parking spaces for persons with disabilities.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. Toronto and East York Community Council authorize the installation/removal of on-street accessible parking spaces at the locations identified in Attachment 1 and attached to the report entitled "Accessible Parking Spaces-November 2023 (Delegated)", dated October 30, 2023 from the Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The signage costs associated with the proposed installation/removal of accessible parking spaces is approximately \$8,340.00. Funding is available within the Transportation Services 2023 Operating Budget.

DECISION HISTORY

This report addresses a new initiative.

COMMENTS

Transportation Services provides designated on-street accessible parking as a convenience 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.

Designated on-street accessible parking spaces are not for the exclusive use of any one resident. Any person with a valid Accessible Parking Permit issued by the Ministry of Transportation of Ontario (MTO) may park in any designated on-street accessible parking space. Designated on-street accessible parking spaces may be relocated for technical or operational reasons, if deemed necessary by the City.

Delays in installing on-street accessible parking spaces may create hardships for the applicants. Timely removal of a designated on-street accessible parking space when it is no longer needed, for instance when the resident moves or is no longer eligible, aids in maximizing available on-street parking for other residents/motorists.

To be eligible for on-street accessible parking, applicants must hold a valid Accessible Parking Permit, issued by the MTO. Staff have determined that the installation/removal of on-street accessible parking spaces as listed in Attachment 1 is feasible as the requirements are met and each designated space will not result in the loss of more than one on-street parking space for general use.

The Ward Councillors have been advised of the recommendation in this report.

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SIGNATURE

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for

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Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: On-Street Accessible Parking Spaces to be Installed/Removed

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Table 1: On-street Accessible Parking Spaces to be Installed

Ward	Location
4	Westminster Avenue, south side, between a point 35.5 metres west of Sorauren Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further west.
4	Sorauren Avenue, west side, between a point 19.5 metres north of Geoffrey Street and a point 5.5 metres further north.
9	Osler Street, east side, between a point 146.7 metres north of Pelham Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north.
9	Pauline Avenue, east side, between a point 203.1 metres south of Wallace Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further south.
9	Westmoreland Avenue, east side, between a point 129.7 metres south of Dupont Street and a point 5.1 metres further south, anytime, from the 1st day to 15th day of each month, from April 1 to November 30, inclusive, and from December 1 of one year to March 31 of the next following year, inclusive.
9	Westmoreland Avenue, west side, between a point 130.3 metres south of Dupont Street and a point 5.5 metres further south, anytime, from the 16th day to the last day of each month, from April 1 to November 30, inclusive.
9	Bartlett Avenue, east side, between a point 86.7 metres south of Dupont Street and a point 5.5 metres further south.
19	Dundas Street East, south side, between a point 74 metres west of Kingston Road and a point 5.5 metres further west.
19	Merrill Avenue East, south side, between a point 48 metres west of Moberly Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further west.
19	Wheeler Avenue, east side, between a point 36 metres north of Norway Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north.
19	Cassels Avenue, north side, between a point 11.5 metres east of Devon Road and a point 5.5 metres further east.

Ward	Location
19	Gledhill Avenue, east side, between a point 25 metres south of Lumsden Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further south, during the months of Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., June, Aug., Oct. and Dec.
19	Gledhill Avenue, east side, between a point 74 metres north of King Edward Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north, anytime during the months of Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., June, Aug., Oct. and Dec.
19	Gledhill Avenue, west side, between a point 70 metres north of King Edward Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north, anytime during the months of May, July, Sept. and Nov.
19	Oakcrest Avenue, south side, between a point 166 metres west of Westlake Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further west.

Table 2: On-street Accessible Parking Spaces to be Removed

Ward	Location
9	Margueretta Street, east side, between a point 168.5 metres south of Bloor Street West and a point 5.5 metres further south, anytime.
14	Hampton Avenue, east side, between a point 81 metres south of Danforth Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further south, anytime.
19	Gledhill Avenue, east side, between a point 32 metres north of Burrell Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north, during the months of Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., June, Aug., Oct. and Dec.
19	Gledhill Avenue, east side, between a point 98 metres north of Burrell Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north, anytime during the months of Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., June, Aug., Oct. and Dec.
19	Gledhill Avenue, west side, between a point 85 metres north of Burrell Avenue and a point 5.5 metres further north, anytime during the months of May, July, Sept. and Nov.
19	Scarborough Beach Boulevard, east side, between a point 147 metres south of Queen Street East and a point 5.5 metres further south, anytime.