

Accessible Parking Space - January 2024 (Non-Delegated)

Date: January 8, 2023

To: Toronto and East York Community Council

From: Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 14, Toronto-Danforth

SUMMARY

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

Transportation Services is requesting approval for the removal of an on-street accessible parking space on the east side of Donlands Avenue.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. City Council authorize the removal of an on-street accessible parking space at the location identified in Attachment 1, attached to the report entitled "Accessible Parking Space-January 2024 (Non-Delegated)", dated January 8, 2024 from the Director, Traffic Management, Transportation Services.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The signage costs associated with the proposed removal of an accessible parking space is approximately \$500.00. Funding is available within the Transportation Services 2024 Interim 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.

Transportation Services is recommending the removal of the designated accessible parking space on the east side of Donlands Avenue.

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 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 Councillor has been advised of the recommendation in this report.

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ATTACHMENT

Attachment 1: On-Street Accessible Parking Space to be Removed

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Table 1: On-Street Accessible Parking Space to be Removed

Ward	Location
14	Donlands Avenue, east side, between a point 34 metres north of Milverton Boulevard and a point 5.5 metres further north, anytime.