

Accessible Parking Space - Hackett Avenue

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To: Etobicoke York Community Council

From: Director, Enforcement and Street Management, Transportation Services

Wards: Ward 7, Humber River-Black Creek

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 of an on-street accessible parking space on the west side of Hackett Avenue.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Director, Enforcement and Street Management, Transportation Services recommends that:

1. Etobicoke York Community Council designate an on-street accessible parking space in effect at all times on the west side of Hackett Avenue, from a point 51 metres north of Cook Road to a point 5.5 metres further north.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The signage costs associated with the proposed installation of the accessible parking space is approximately \$500. Funding is available within the Transportation Services 2026 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.

Hackett Avenue a two-way, local road and the parking regulations within the subject section are as follows:

West side

- Authorized 12 hour parking 8:00 p.m. of one day to 8:00 a.m. of the next following day, between Cook Road and Assiniboine Road
- Authorized 1 hour parking 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, between Cook Road and Assiniboine Road

East side

- No parking anytime between Cook Road and Assiniboine Road

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 the accessible parking space is feasible as the requirements are met and the 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: Map - Accessible Parking Space - Hackett Avenue

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