HALDIMAND COUNTY

Report ENG-07-2022 Parking Control By-law Amendment – Accessible Parking, Selkirk



For Consideration by Council in Committee on June 21, 2022

OBJECTIVE:

To receive Council approval to amend Haldimand County Parking Control By-law 307/02 to create an accessible parking space on Main Street East in Selkirk.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. THAT Report ENG-07-2022 Parking Control By-law Amendment Accessible Parking, Selkirk be received;
- 2. AND THAT Haldimand County Parking Control By-law 307/02 Schedule "H" Physically Disabled Parking, be amended as outlined in Report ENG-07-2022;
- 3. AND THAT the language in Parking Control By-law 307/02 be updated by replacing "Physically Disabled Parking" with "Accessible Parking".

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Approved: Craig Manley, MCIP, RPP, Chief Administrative Officer

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

In response to concerns raised by the local Councillor and the business community in Selkirk, staff are recommending installation of one accessible parking space on the north side of Main Street near the commercial businesses at 415 Main Street East.

BACKGROUND:

Parking is currently available on both sides of Main Street in Selkirk. There is a mix of residential and commercial properties that benefit from the on-street parking. It is noted that there is only one accessible space near the Canada Post office on Main Street West.

Based on discussions with the local Councillor, residents and business owners are requesting an additional accessible space on the north side of Main Street East and east of Erie Street.

ANALYSIS:

Staff have reviewed the existing conditions and are recommending the creation of an accessible space on Main Street. Minor changes are required to the curb and sidewalk to accommodate the accessible

space. Staff have also reviewed the on-street parking for Main Street and the proposed parking designation will only affect one space. The proposed accessible space is shown in Attachment 1.

To create the accessible space the following change to Haldimand County Parking Control By-law 307/02 is required.

Parking Control By-law 307/02 Schedule "H"– Selkirk to Add

Street	Side	From	То
Main Street East	North	Erie Street	One designated space within 120 meters east of Erie Street

It is also recommended that the language in the Parking Control By-Law be updated by replacing the references to "Physically Disabled Parking" with "Accessible Parking".

FINANCIAL/LEGAL IMPLICATIONS:

The estimated cost for the required signage, paint and curb cut for the accessible parking space is approximately \$2,500 and will be funded from the Contracted Services account in the Engineering Services Operating Budget.

STAKEHOLDER IMPACTS:

Not applicable.

REPORT IMPACTS:

Agreement: No
By-law: Yes
Budget Amendment: No
Policy: No

REFERENCES:

None.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Map of Proposed Accessible Parking Space