



MUNICIPALITY OF **West Elgin**

Staff Report

Report To: Council Meeting

From: Lee Gosnell, Manager of Operations & Community Services

Date: 2022-03-24

Subject: Rodney Reconstruction – Accessible Parking

Recommendation:

That West Elgin Council hereby receives the report from Lee Gosnell, Manager of Operations & Community Services; and

That West Elgin Council supports the addition of two (2) accessible parking spaces on the south side of Moriah Street, east of Furnival Road, as designed by Elgin County Engineering.

Purpose:

The purpose of this report is to make Council aware of Elgin County's request to place two (2) accessible parking spaces on Moriah Street in Rodney as part of the reconstruction project started in 2020.

Background:

During the past two years, Elgin County has been working on the reconstruction of Furnival Road and Queens Line in downtown Rodney. Although work has been substantially completed, County Engineering has received a request to have accessible parking installed as part of this project. After careful consideration, staff have determined the current layout along Furnival Road will not support this type of parking.

Other locations on adjacent streets were surveyed, with only one viable spot being identified. The attached diagram shows two (2) accessible parking spaces being installed on the south side of Moriah Street, just east of Furnival Road. This location has the room necessary to install compliant parking stalls and remains centered in the downtown core. Also, being located off the main street should provide for less adjacent traffic, which will benefit people using the spaces.

Financial Implications:

Elgin County will pay for all works required to install these accessible parking spaces under the Rodney Reconstruction capital program. Municipally incurred maintenance costs for this project, including gutter cleaning and yearly pavement marking, will be minimal.

Report Approval Details

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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

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