

# CITY OF HAMILTON

## MOTION

COUNCIL DATE: November 28, 2012

**MOVED BY COUNCILLOR .....J. FARR.....**

**SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR .....**

**Parking on the North Side of King Street West, between Caroline Street and Queen Street**

Whereas; it has been determined that roof installation at the apartment development at 275 King Street West at Hess is expected to be complete in less than a week, thus stabilizing the walls in the development;

And Whereas the integrity of the walls and public safety are the reason for the barrier lane closure on the south side of King West at this project site;

And Whereas the parking restrictions on the north side of King Street West in this area occurring between the hours of 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. (erected under staff delegated authority) has caused significant loss of business for those businesses in the King West BIA for over a year;

And Whereas the merchants particularly felt hardship during the holiday season last year as a result of the parking restrictions;

And Whereas at a November 20, 2012 meeting of the King West BIA, members emphatically reiterated this as their urgent concern, particularly with the coming holiday season.

Therefore be it resolved:

- (a) That parking be permitted at the sixteen (16) meters on the north side of King Street West, from Caroline Street to Queen Street, between 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., effective November 29, 2012
- (b) That staff be requested to continue to stay on course with the developer with respect to the timing of the removal of the barrier on the south side of King Street West at Hess Street.