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This is one for the accessibility committee.

Something to think about during the next parking review.

## Regards;

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The number of Accessible Spaces are not compatible with the increase of individuals with challenges nor are they convenient for their use. The WesternEntrance to the Rec Centre has three, these are quickly filled daily and when events are held they are clearly inadequate. The entrance to Shoppers has two proximal the rest, the challenged individual must cross a thoroughfare where the traffic is extremely busy. The Eastern Entrance to the Town Centre the Spaces are adequate in number but again are not proximal to the Entrance, again forcing people to traverse a distance with traffic. This situation is exacerbated in the Winter where Ice becomes a factor and I have personally seen several people slip badly while trying to access the Western Entrance of the Rec centre. Thanks for your consideration. Mike Hare.