## The Parking Authority of Toronto

The Parking Authority of Toronto, established as a corporate body in 1952 by Provincial sta tute and City by-law, comprises a Chairman and two Commissioners appointed by City Council.
he Authority's mandate includes the estabshment, operation and management of municipal off-street parking faclities throug ut Toronto. It also operates carparks on eased property and manages some facilities on a revenue-sharing or fee basis.

By legislation, the Parking Authority of Toronto s required to be financially self-sustaining and o pay real estate and business taxes. In 1981 hese payments amounted to $\$ 2.7$ million. Fo the year in review, the Authority remains a prof itable agency.

Title to the Authority's properties is vested in City of Toronto, even though the lands and uildings are acquired by using the Authority's surplus or borrowed funds.

The Authority is required to report annually to City Council and its financial statement must be examined by the City Auditor.


Chairman
John F. Ellis, MBE


General Manager
Reginald W. Lewis


Commissioner
David A.A. Stager


Commissioner
John F. Sherk

## Chairman's Letter

Alderman Dorothy Thomas,
Chairman,
City Services Committee,
City Hall
Toronto, Ontario
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Dear Alderman Thomas:
Your Commissioners are pleased to present to your Committee the 1981 Annual Report of The Parking Authority of Toronto covering its 29th year of operation.

During the year under review, the Authority parked more than 10.7 million cars on 15,878 parking spaces located at 80 surface carparks and seven parking garages.

The Authority generated revenue of $\$ 18.1$ million and paid expenses of $\$ 12.9$ million. Included in the expenses were $\$ 2.7$ milion in business and reatty taxes and $\$ 2.4$ millon for the rental of fiy-owned lands used by The Authority retained 52 million the further development of Tonto's off street parking program.

## ar's operations

nclude:

- start of construction of the St. Lawrence Garage which will provide
1,900 parking spaces to serve the
downtown and downtown fringe area, adding 244 parking spaces to the Authority's inventory,
- completion of ten area parking demand studies,
- opening of 515 temporary parking spaces to alleviate the shortage caused by construction of the new St. Lawrence Garage on the site of municipal carpark 43
- reorganization of the Operations Section into three geographical districts, each under a District Manager.
The parking demand and usage studies completed by the planning staff will provide useful data on the use of existing carparks parking facilities may be required in the nea future.

Much staff time has also been directed to repair of concrete parking slabs damaged by road salts and chemicals.

This repair activity, which involves the Nathan Phillips Square Underground Garage and the University Avenue Underground Garage, will continue into 1982. Repairs are Instead this property will be re-developed• a Instead, this propery wil be re-developed, a

The ix-year search to find
The six-year search to find a suitable site for a parking structure to accommodate short-stay parking in the Chinatown West area has resulted in a parking garage proposal which the Authority will place before
It is
It is expected that Stage 1 of the St. Lawrence Garage on The Esplanade east of 1982, and that work will have commenced on Stage 2 of the garage When completed the garage will provide 1,900 parking spaces but as the Authority has repeatedly space but as the Authority has repeatedly satisfy even the current demand for public parking spaces in the area

Parking rates were reviewed in April and October with minor adjustments made to meet increased operating costs and to influence usage patterns, notably at the Kensington Garage where the hourly rate was increased to encourage short-stay parking.
Your attention is drawn to the detailed financial statements found on pages $16,17,18$ These show that your Authority is operating in accordance with its mandate to be self-sufficient and is doing so with economic efficiency.

Your Commissioners would welcome questions or comments on any of these matters or on the detailed report which tollows. We also wish to express our thank assisted the Authority during the past year in suport of Council policies related to municipal parking.
Sehn F. Ellis

## Report on Operations

## New Carparks Opened

Municipal carpark 138 at the south-east corner of Thelma Avenue and Spadina Road provides 37 parking spaces for the short-stay parkin demand created by the shops in the Forest Hi Village. Local businessmen contributed to establishing this carpark through the benefiting assessment legislation. Mr. Bill Sawyer and Mr Andy McDowell of the Forest Hill Business Association organized an official opening of hrent on this parking facility on June 6 members the Business Association to the lents of the area were His Worship May Arthur Eggleton, Alderman Johnston Alder man Gee the Authority's General Manage and Administrative Assistant District Manager Mr Sam Roussos and Area Supervisor Mr Ted Mate.


Alderman Michael Gee Mr Bill Sawyer, Alderman Anne Johnston and Mayor Eggleton at the Jerman Ann Johnston and Mayor Eggleton at the
ing of Carpark 138, Spadina/Thelma.
Plans for the development of surplus subway lands in the Bloor West Village Area were adopted by City Council on April 9, leading to the establishment of municipal carpark 143 between Willard and Windermere Avenue north of Bloor Street West.
This carpark - opened on November 27 adds 108 spaces to the parking spaces inventory in the Bloor West Village Area.

On November 27 two other carparks were als pened on former surplus subway land cquired from the Metropolitan Corporation. I e east, 27 spaces were opened at Langfor Avenue north of Danforth Avenue, and in the central area 34 spaces were opened on the west side of Clinton Street north of Bloor Street West.


Municipal carpark 144, Bloor/Clinton

On September 14, municipal carpark 141 with 38 spaces - was opened at the north east corner of Greenlaw and MacKay Avenues in the St. Clair/Dufferin area. The site selected was one of several examined over a period of wo years in attempts to find a site toward the west end of the St. Clair/Dufferin/Lansdowne ment strip is


Supervisors Ted Mate, Sam Roussos, Alderman Picc ninni and Mayor Eggleton at the opening of Carpa

The St. Clair Businessmen's Association organized an official opening of this new municipal parking facility on November 4 to which they invited His Worship Mayor Arthur gggleton, Executive Alderman Joseph Picci ninni, members of the Association, and various Aulhority's Nurth Corral Manager, M Sam Roussos, and the Area Supervisor, Mr Ted Mate who were later guests of the Association at lunch.

Rehabilitation of Carparks
An additional 17 spaces were added to the Authority's parking inventory through the ehabilitation of municipal carpark 81 on ansdowne Avenue north of Bloor Street Wes similarly seven spaces were added to munic pal carpark 137, Gough Avenue north of Danforth Avenue


Municipal carpark 140 , Church/Wilton
Municipal carpark 140 with 515 parking saces was opened on the former Frasme naces was opened on the former Frasme and Wiliams and Wilson properties in the S emporary measure designed to alleviate the parking shortage brought about by the con truction of the St. Lawrence Garage on the site of municipal carpark 43. It is likely that car park 140 will continue in operation for a period of about two years.
Throughout the year, the Authority continued ehabilitation of its surface carparks. Improve ents included plantings of trees, shrubs, wer beds and construction of ornamental walls to suit the surrounding areas


Hicle carpark 81, Boorlandow

## St. Lawrence Garage

An agreement was signed on April 3 for a municipal parking garage to be constructed in Phase C-1 of the St. Lawrence project. On Apri 6, construction commenced on Stage 1 of the garage which will provide 1,050 spaces. A second stage of the garage, to be constructed in Phase C-2 of the St. Lawrence development will accommodate an additional 890 parking spaces. With the commencenen 1 Aust lon the st. Law monthly parking privilege decided to rescind 13 , 108 and 140 in tis general are because of the condition mposed by the construction of the garage.

Stage 1 of the garage construction, representing 50 per cent complation of the garage within he meaning of the construction agreement was achieved on November 1 permitting a transfer of the agreed-upon lands to the construction company, Rampart Enterprises Lim ted, for private development purposes. The development of the area will eventually see, in addition to the parking garage, a Cityhome housing structure and commercial and office space.

Municipal carpark 43, the St. Lawrence Garage under construction.


Commissioner David Stager, Chairman John Ellis, ger Jim Thomson, Operations Manager Peter Keav eny and Commissioner John Sherk visit the St. Law ence Garage construction site
The property is an old land-fill site that at one time formed the shoreline of Lake Ontario. In order to support the garage structure in this area, caissons had to be drilled to bedrock some 25 feet down. The garage is constructed on cement T-stilts tied together by cement crossbeams to prevent sideways motion.
During excavation several artifacts in the form of old glass bottles were recovered, some bearing the names of long defunct companies and some appearing to have been hand blown


## Reorganization of the <br> Operations Section

During the year the Operations Section underwent a major reorganization, the object of which was to improve control through decentralizing operations. Under the previous system, parking operations were divided into five districts with supervisors, including relief supervisors, assigned to these districts; supervisors reported directly to the Operations Manager.
Under the new system, parking operations were divided geographically into three large districis: North Central, South East and South West. A District Manager was appointed from he supervisors thist and assigned to each sam Roussos is District Manager: he is based at municipal carpark 11 the Rosehill Garase In the South East District Mr. Art Dawson is the District Manager and he is based at municipal carpark 52 , the University Avenue Underground Garage. In the South West District, the District Manager is Mr. Emile Zamiara and he is based at municipal carpark 68, the Kensington Garage.
Due to the scale of parking operations, municipal carpark 36 the Nathan Phillips Square Underground Garage and municipal carpark 15 the Yorkville-Cumberland Garage remain outside the district organization and under their own supervisory staffs.
The restructuring of Operations has required concurrent restructuring of the Maintenance Section. Under the previous system, all maintenance operations were based at the Nathan Philips Square Underground Garage but under he new syte mainenance paro lict and base as described above, base as described above.
Technical maintenance and support, such as in-shop maintenance of meters and machines, remain under conis con hill Square Underground Garage.

Under the new organization, supervision has improved because of increased accountability
of individual supervisors to the District Manof individual supervisors to the District Man-
agers. Morale has improved at all levels agers. Morale has improved at all evels pride in individual work. The human element has not been forgotten; attendants and maintenance personnel are allocated to districts as close to their homes as possible.


## Planning Studies

## Bloor/Bathurst

This study was a result of neighbourhood concern about expansion of Honest Ed's, a popular retail establishment in the Bloor-Bathurst area. The report included a traffic flow study by the Department of Public Works, a retail strip study by the Department of Planning and Development and a parking demand study by the Authority.
The guidelines for each sub-study came from the representatives of the local community. Since the community became a full partner in he stuad process, the community representaunderstand each ach other's concerns in the situation.

The information gathered over a period of two days was analysed and presented to the residents at a public meeting. Community repredents at a public meeting. Community tepereother interested parties are now considering possible solutions to the area's traffic and parking problems.


Gathering on-street parking data

## Spadina/Thelma

The opening of municipal carpark 138 at the corner of Spadina and Thelma Avenue is described previously in this report. A parking demand study in 1977 showed there was a requirement for a carpark to serve the retail strip known as The Village.

Following the opening of the carpark, the usage/revenue performance of the carpark was studied to assist in estimating future revenue data for-proposented to compare actuase with estimated usage to make adiustments, if necessary in their usag estimation technique.


## Municipal carpark 138, Spadina/Thelma

## Bathurst/College

Municipal carpark 111, Clinton Street north o College Street, is located on lands owned by the City and partially leased from a private owner. Several development options have been put forward by the local business co mart of the doveroment The planning staff partor bloca retail area the data obtained sup. orted the retention of carpark 111 . The planors' reot recommended that the carpark orud be cecured for the long term by including in multiple use development involving other properties in properties in the area.


Municipal carpark 111, College/Clinton

## Operations Summary

## Yonge/Davisville

Yonge Street between Merton Street and Berwick Avenue lies between two major sub will to the south, but is under-developed when compared to the Yonge/Eglinton area At the Yonge Davisville node there is a mixed land rae but without the broad range of commer cial services one finds at Yonge-Eglinton
n 1980 a redevelopment proposal was approved for the land near the Davisville subway station. The Authority's study was to asses the parking demand likely to be generated by his development. The report of the study concluded that it would generate a requirement for additional parking facilities. The Authority is now looking at ways to utilize the air rights ove he open-cut portion of the Yonge subway line west of Yonge Street for municipal parking purposes.


Open.cut subway line in the Yonge-Davisville area

## Unmanned Carpark Study

Each year the Authority undertakes a study to measure the usage of metered and machine here are no tickets from which usage dat an extracted in the nomal way. Instead each carpark must be surveyed by othe means. To do this, the Authority employs means. To cord, the Autial information on students to record essential information on portable computer terminals. The information in the form of usable data related to occu pancy and duration. From these data, the Authority can determine if a carpark is meeting the demand for parking in a particular area and whether the existing parking fee structure is appropriate for that area


Sumer sudent using portabe data entry termina

Operating modes for parking facilities can vary greatly. High turnover carparks require parking lang: meters are pad neque parkn arparks when parking activity is not intense and ticketissuing machines are installed Cilitios where meters are either not practica facilities where meters are either not practical or not financially feasible.

Different modes can be combined to meet a particular requirement. For example, the large commuter carparks near the east and west erminals of the Bloor/Danforth subway line re quire attendants for only the first hours of itense parking activity in the morning. A cket-issuing machine is then utilized for the remainder of the day to achieve considerable savings in operating expenses

1981 the distribution of spaces by type operation and location was as follows:

| Areas <br> Served | Number of <br> Spaces | \% of <br> Spaces |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Downtown Core | 3,103 | 19.0 |
| Downtown Fringe | 2,728 | 17.2 |
| Midtown | 1,750 | 11.0 |
| Uptown | 1,767 | 11.1 |
| Neighbourhood <br> Commercial/ <br> Residential | 3,130 | 19.7 |
| Transit/Commuter | 3,451 | 21.7 |
| Special Use | 39 | 0.3 |
| Total Spaces | 15,878 | 100 |
| Total Carparks | 87 |  |

The Authority provides municipal carparks to accommodate the following:

1. short-stay users in the downtown core and the midtown area;
2. all-day users on the downtown fringe and at transit stations 3. neighbourhood commercial and residential


| Type of <br> Operation | Number of <br> Spaces | \% of <br> Spaces |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Manned Garages | 5,222 | 32.9 |
| Manned Surface <br> Carparks | 5,962 | 37.5 |
| Combined Manned <br> and Machine | 982 | 6.2 |
| Combined Manned <br> and Meters | 87 | 0.5 |
| Combined Machine <br> and Meters | 405 | 2.5 |
| Machine | 1,948 | 12.3 |
| Meters | 1,233 | 7.8 |
| Monthly | 159 | 0.3 |
| Total | 100 |  |


| No. | Location | Cap. | No. | Location | . |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Hayden St. E. of Yonge | 153 | 49 | Roehampton Ave. E. of Yonge | 125 |
| 2 | Charles St. E. of Yonge | 87 | 51 | Lippincott St. S. of Bloor | 147 |
| 3 | Isabella St. E. of Yonge | 120 | 52 | University Ave. Garage | 323 |
| 5 | Wellesley St. E. of Yonge | 147 | 53 | Walnut Ave. S. of Richmond | 150 |
| 11 | Rosehill Garage | 576 | 55 | Bedford Pk. Ave. W. of Yonge | 45 |
| 12 | Alvin Ave. N. of St. Clair E. | 174 | 58 | Bedford Rd. N. of Bloor | 140 |
| 13 | Delisle Ave. W. of Yonge | 160 | 62 | Queen St. W. - Abell St. | 27 |
| 15 | Yorkville-Cumberland Garage | 1036 | 63 | Jarvis St. - Richmond St. E. | 17 |
| 16 | Cumberland St. W. of Bay | 67 | 64 | Durie St. N. of Bloor | 155 |
| 17 | Pape Ave. N. of Danforth | 84 | 68 | Kensington Garage | 296 |
| 18 | Keele St. S. of Dundas | 78 | 70 | College St. - St. George St. | 81 |
| 19 | Pacific Ave. S. of Dundas | 71 | 71 | Bellevue Ave. S. of Nassau | 91 |
| 20 | Cedarvale Ave. N. of Danforth | 38 | 72 | George St. S. of Front | 463 |
| 21 | Amroth Ave. S. of Danforth | 54 | 78 | Erindale Ave. E. of Broadview | 88 |
| 26 | Queen-Victoria Garage | 514 | 79 | Sherbourne St. N. of Carlton | 112 |
| 28 | Pape Ave. S. of Danforth | 76 | 80 | Keele St. N. of Dundas | 54 |
| 29 | Holly-Dunfield Garage | 460 | 81 | Lansdowne Ave. N. of Bloor | 40 |
| 32 | Bay St. - Lakeshore Blvd. W. | 525 | 82 | Margueretta St. N. of Bloor | 54 |
| 33 | Temperance St. E. of Bay | 89 | 84 | Salem Ave. N. of Bloor | 35 |
| 34 | Dundas Sq. - Victoria St. | 53 | 85 | Palmerston Ave. N. of Bloor | 48 |
| 35 | Eglinton Ave. - Duplex Ave. | 93 | 87 | Chester Ave. N. of Danforth | 66 |
| 36 | Nathan Phillips Square Garage | 2017 | 88 | Ferrier Ave. N. of Danforth | 48 |
| 39 | Castlefield Ave. W. of Yonge | 164 | 89 | Lipton Ave. E. of Pape | 70 |
| 41 | Norton Ave. W. of Dufferin | 64 | 90 | Eaton Ave. N. of Danforth | 70 |
| 42 | Elmwood, S. of St. Clair | 66 | 91 | Armadale Ave. N. of Bloor | 144 |
| 43 | The Esplanade, E. of Yonge | 195 | 92 | Indian Rd. N. of Bloor | 253 |
| 44 | Fuller Ave. N. of Queen | 53 | 93 | Euclid Ave. N. of Bloor | 43 |
| 45 | Broadview Ave. N. of Queen | 92 | 96 | Portland St. N. of Front | 246 |
| 47 | Burnaby Blvd. W. of Castleknock | 174 | 97 | Strathmore Blvd. W. of Donlands | 14 |
| 48 | Lee Ave. S. of Queen | 68 | 98 | Victoria Pk. Ave. N. of Denton | 260 |



Bloor-Islington


Bloor-Runnymede K



Bloor-Keele


Spadina-Dundas U


## Queen-Broadview




Bloor-Dufferin N


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\text { Queen-Woodbine } \quad g
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Downtown
Spadina Rd.- Heath Y


Front-Parliament



Bloor-Bathurst


Danforth-Woodbine



Bloor-Bay


## Danforth-Pape



Danforth-Victoria Pk. k



Bloor-Yonge
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## Warden-St. Clair



| No. | Location | Cap. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 99 | Warden Ave. N. of St. Clair | 1416 |
| 100 | Warden Ave. S. of St. Clair | 152 |
| 101 | Cordova Ave. W. of Islington | 438 |
| 102 | Lomond Dr. N. of Aberfoyle | 284 |
| 103 | Bloor St. W. of Islington | 555 |
| 104 | Ossington Ave. N. of Bloor | 36 |
| 105 | Richmond St. W. - Portland St. | 47 |
| 106 | Augusta Ave. N. of Queen | 120 |
| 107 | MacPherson Ave. opp. Rathnelly | 39 |
| 108 | Church St. S. of The Esplanade | 163 |
| 109 | Aberdeen Ave. W. of Parliament | 38 |
| 110 | Danforth Ave. E. of Coxwell | 25 |
| 111 | Clinton St. N. of College | 3 |
| 116 | Kennedy Ave. - Glendonwynne Road | 28 |
| 126 | Front St. - Parliament St. | 223 |
| 127 | Orchard View Blvd. W. of Yonge | 38 |
| 130 | Bartlett Ave. - Salem Ave. | 38 |
| 131 | Hilltop Rd. - Eglinton Ave. W. | 29 |
| 133 | Prescott Ave. - St. Clair Ave. W. | 33 |
| 137 | Gough Ave. N. of Danforth | 21 |
| 138 | Thelma Ave. E. of Spadina Rd. | 37 |
| 139 | Yonge Street, N. of Sherwood | 70 |
| 140 | Church St. S. of Wilton St. | 515 |
| 141 | N/E corner of Greenlaw \& MacKay | 38 |
| 142 | E/S Langford Ave. N. of Danforth | 27 |
| 143 | N. of Bloor St. W. bet. Willard and Windermere | 108 |
| 144 | N. of Bloor St. W. bet. Christie and Clinton | 34 |

## Parking Inventory - spaces



## Cars Parked



## Assets

## Liabilities

|  | 1981 | 1980 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Assets: |  |  |
| Cash in bank and on hand including Term Deposits | \$18,886,538 |  |
| Accrued Interest on Deposits | 125,355 |  |
|  | \$19,011,893 | \$13,797,423 |
| Accounts Receivable | 550,493 | 479,206 |
| Prepaid Expense | 72,997 | 75,481 |
| Inventories | 79,692 | 70,490 |
|  | \$19,715,075 | \$14,422,600 |
| Fixed Assets: |  |  |
| Car Parks - Lands and improvements |  |  |
| Completed Projects | \$30,443,715 |  |
| Projects under construction | 9,836,905 |  |
| Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment | 1,006,281 |  |
|  | 41,286,901 | 34,734,889 |
| Proceeds from sale of debentures held by the City | 257,680 | 257,680 |
| Proceeds from sale of property held by the City | 48,092 | 70.282 |
|  | \$61,307,748 | \$49,485,451 |

## Note:

1980 Accounts payable and current surplus have been restated to reflect an accounting change in 1981 whereby rental charges due to the City of Toronto for use of city-owned properties, during the current year,
are now accrued at the year-end.

## Auditor's Opinion

have examined the Balance Sheet of The Parking Authority of Toronto as at December 31, 1981 and the statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the year then ended. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.
In my opinion, these statements present fairly the financial position of the Authority as at December 31, 1981 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure

|  | 1981 | 1980 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Parking Revenue | $\$ 15,143,422$ | $\$ 13,319,572$ |
| Parking Area Expenses | $(11,662,951)$ | $(9,561,463)$ |
|  | $\$ 3,480,471$ | $\$ 3,758,109$ |
| Sundry Revenue | $\mathbf{3 , 0 1 7 , 9 5 8}$ | $1,820,412$ |
|  | $\$ 6,498,429$ | $\$ 5,578,521$ |
| Administration Expenses |  |  |
| Salaries and wages | 673,317 | $\$$ |
| Employee Benefit Plans | 162,507 | 149,077 |
| Utilities, Heat \& Taxes | 91,052 | 82,348 |
| Maintenance | 14,215 | 9,207 |
| Postage, stationery \& office supplies | 19,366 | 20,060 |
| Drafting supplies, etc. | 1,402 | 1,760 |
| General Expenses (incl. Special Surveys) | 116,411 | 139,541 |
| Travelling and Conference Expenses | 22,538 | 19,182 |
| Honoraria | 18,600 | 16,761 |
| Legal | 7,140 | 10,155 |
| Advertising | 47,416 | 16,010 |
| Lease of Equipment | 33,579 | 38,476 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 30,952 | 2,270 |
|  | $\$ 1,238,495$ | $\$ 1,082,521$ |
| Direct Operating Surplus | $\$ 5,259,934$ | $\$ 4,496,000$ |
| Debt Charges |  |  |
| Interest charges on funds advanced by City | $\$ 3,931$ |  |
| Exchange on debt charges | 4,008 |  |
| Debenture Debt Charges | 37,939 | $(6,400)$ |
| Net Revenue | $\$ 5,221,995$ | $\$ 4,502,400$ |

Note: (1) 1981 Debenture Debt Charges, totalling $\$ 748,298$, were fully provided for out of parking meter funds and other reserve funds of proceeds from sales of carpark properties and from the reserve of operating surplus of the Village Arcade Shopping Mall held by the City of Toronto.
(2) 1980 Expenses are restated to reflect accounting changes in 1981 concerning the manner in which rental charges for use of city-owned properties are now accrued at the year-end and are reported for statement purposes as an expense against parking area operations. In 1981 the rental charge for city-owned land were $\$ 2,253,349$. The rental charge in 1980 was $\$ 1,194,571$.
This is the Statement of Revenue and Expenditure referred to in my certificate dated March 10, 1982 ap pended to the Balance Sheet of The Parking Authority of Toronto.

## Distribution of the Income Dollar

|  | Administrative Expenses |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Available for Future <br> Capital Development | $7.0 \%$ |  |

Revenue $\square$ Expenses $\square \quad$ millions


## Deterioration of Concrete Structures

Deterioration of concrete due to absorption of road salts and chemicals is a world-wide prob m, particularly in structures over 20 years been severely affected by this problem.
n unwaterproofed parking slabs the salts and chemicals will penetrate the concrete causing e steel reinforcing bars to rust and expand hereby lifting the surface of the concrete in a condition known as spalling

olumn at municipal carpark 26, the Queen-Victoria Garag owing deterioration

In the Nathan Phillips Square Underground Garage, Stage 1, the parking floors were waterproofed only after the garage had been in use for seven years. As spalling became in creasingly evident in the years that followed, he Authority sought the advice of concrete specialists, and then embarked on a three-year eclamation program which commenced in 1980. This work is to be completed in 1982 at a

In 1981 repair of the deteriorated concrete in he University Avenue Underground Garage as begun. In the case of the Queen-Victoria Garage the Authority decided on redevelop ment as opposed to reclamation in view of the equirement for additional parking spaces to erve this area of the City. A proposal call for the construction of an expanded garage and multiple-use structure is now being developed


Damaged concrete removed to expose reinforcing bars Since the Authority's experience with concrete deterioration and reclamation have placed it in the forefront of the battle so to ppeak the Authority has been requested to present its experiences and findings at conferences and seminars where this is a subject for discussion


Work being undertaken to repair floor slab at municipal car park 36 , the Nathan Phillips Square Underground Garage


Damage caused by water seepage at municipal carpark 52

## Yonge/Sherwood

## Multiple-Use Proposa

The General Manager and other members of the staff met several times throughout the year with the Ward Aldermen, Metropolitan Toronto Housing officials, and interested members of the local business and residential community regarding a joint venture at municipal carpark 139, Yonge/Sherwood, which would include a senior citizens' housing structure and a component of municipal of-street parking.


Municipal carpark 139, Yonge/Sherwood, site of development Municipal
proposal

The business community insists that the municipal parking service must not be reduced, and the residential community is concompatible with development in ine be ambience of the adjacent residential area

Negotiations so far have resulted in all parties agreeing in principle to a joint development which will include a municipal carpark at grade level. The matter is now undergoing further study by the Metropolitan Housing Company Limited.

## Office Reorganization

The second and third floors of the Authority's offices have been renovated to utilize better the available space. On the second floor storage facilities were reduced in order to rearrange work stations with less crowding. On the third floor dividing walls were erected and office space created to accommodate the rePlanning section. The new spectrand the provides for a much provides for a much-needed small meeting

## Union Negotiations

Union negotiations between C.U.P.E. Local 43 and the Authority which commenced in Augus new 13 month tlement include. clude:

- wage increase of 12.5 per cent
- extension of the dental plan to cover increased orthidontal services
- increased group life insurance
- increased optical benefits
- increased long-term disability benefits
- increase in shift hours bonus and driving hours bonus


## Village Arcade

The Village Arcade is a sixteen-store shopping complex located on the ground floor of the Authority's office building adjacent to the Yorkville-Cumberland Garage and oxtends from Cumberland Street on the south to Yorkville Avenue on the north.

Notwithstanding its location in the commer-cially-attractive Yorkville Village area, the Arcade has experienced a slow growth since opening in November 1974. Losses of previous years were slowly recovered up to 1980, and in small operating profit for the first time.


The Village Arcade at municipal carpark 15, the Yorkville/
Cumberland Garage
Although there has been some turnover of store occupancies in the early years, the Arcade appears to have stabilized, and the long-time tenants have become an established part of the Yorkville scene.

## IMPC Annual Workshop

## and Trade Show

The 27th Annual Workshop and Trade Show of the Institutional and Municipal Parking Congress was held in Toronto at the Harbour Castle Hilton Hotel, July 4 - 8. About 500 delegates were in attendance. There was major participation by the Authority in organizing the five-day workshop. At the opening session His Worship Mayor Arthur Eggleton brought greetings from the City of Toronto, and the Chairman, Dr. David Stager, welcomed the delegates on behalf of the Authority

Later in the Workshop the General Manager, assisted by other members of the staff, presented an audio-visual report on the Authority's parking operations.


Mayor Arthur Eggleton welcoming the delegates to the 27th Annual I.M.P.C. Workshop.
At a Board of Directors meeting prior to the main Workshop sessions, the General Manager was elected Chairman of the Board of Advisors of the Congress.


## Ontario Traffic Conference

The Authority continued its membership in the Ontario Traffic Conference with particula interest in the Conference's Annual Parking Workshop. Mr. Karl Plooard, Assistant Techn cal Director, represented the Authority at this year's workshop which was held in Cambridge, Ontario October 25-26, and he was late appointed to the Conference's Parking Committee.

## Metropolitan Toronto

## Traffic Conference

The Authority re-appointed Commissioner John F. Sherk and the General Manager to be its epresentatives a Traffic Conference (MTTC).

The MTTC is a part of the Board of Trade of Metropolitan Toronto and meets regularly to onsider traffic-related matters which the Board considers bears on the social and economic development of the Metropolitan area.

## Cooperation with Other

## Municipalities

The Authority continued its policy of sharing its parking expertise with other municipalities wishing to be advised on parking matters:

On February 16-17 the General Manager met with municipal officials from Bathurst, Fredericton, and Moncton, New Brunswick to discus the establishment of parking authorities.

On March 9-10 Mr. Al King of Fredericton, New Brunswick visited the Authority to learn about parking authority operations in respec to a possible establishment of a parking auth ority for his City.

Two municipal officials from Quebec City visited the Authority on September 14 to discuss matters of parking lot design and operation.

On November 19 Mr Victor Bridle and Mr John Webster of the City of Kitchener visited the Authority's offices to discuss payment-in-lieu and benefiting assessment procedures, and application of these procedures to the Kitch ener situation

In addition to visits such as those described above, the Authority responds to many telephone and letter enquiries on various aspects of the parking business.

## Canadian National

Exhibition Assoc.


Peripheral parking area operated by the Authority during the Peripheral parking area operated by
annual Canaadian National Exhibition
Together with other municipal agencies the Authority is invited annually to nominate a representative to the Municipal Section of the Canadian National Exhibition Association (CNEA). Commissioner John F. Sherk, the Authority's representative to the CNEA since 1974, was re-appointed in 1981.

The Authority has operated the large peripheral parking areas during the annual Canadian National Exhibition since 1959

## Staff Update

## Chairman's Office

In September, Mr. John F. Ellis succeeded Mr. David A.A. Stager as Chairman of the Authority for the ensuing year.

## District Managers

## Appointed

With the reorganization of the Operations Sec tion, covered elsewhere in this report, the folowing supervisors were appointed Distric Managers:
North Central District, Mr. Sam Roussos South West District, Mr. Emile Zamiara South East District, Mr. Art Dawson

## Welcome New Employees

We welcome the following new employees to the Administrative staff: Miss Beverley Luckett, Mrs. Kuntie Ramdhin

## ...to the Attendants' staff:

Mrs. Donna Baresic
Mr. Dave Bellows
Mr. Danny Bobadilla
Mr. Peter Chhina
Mr. Bill DeAngelis
Mr. John Delin
Mr. Andrew
Drummond
Mr. Alton East
Mr. Iggy Florez
Mr. Jean-Paul Hamel
Mr. Jack Leader
Mr. Tom Manson Mr. Jim McMahon Mr. Fred McMilla Mr. Ed McTernan Mr. Michael Moraites Mr. Henry Morgan Mr. Henry Morgan Mr. Peter Presco Mr. Bruce Riddell

Mr. Sukhden Singh
Mrs. Terry MacKenzie Mr. Paul Tschesnokow
Mrs. Elizabeth
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.to the Maintenance staff
Mr. Michael Bowman
Mr. Stan Budziak
Mr. Bill Droulias
Mr. Jerzy Ejsner

## 25 Year Service Awards

During the year two long-service members of the staff appeared before meetings of the Authority to receive awards from the Chairman on achieving 25 years' service


## eter Keaveny, Operations Manager, (centre) receives his 25 -year service award from Chairman Stager, Commissioner 25 -year service award from Chairman Stager, Commissioner Ellis, Commissioner Sherk and General Manager Reginald W.

 Elilis, ColMr. Peter Keaveny joined the Authority's staf as a Cashier in July 1956 and was promoted to Supervisor in September 1960 . ppointed a Administration Mepterner 1960. Appointed as Administration Manager in March 1969, he served in that position until May 1980 when he was appointed Operations Manager vice Mr. Projects Co-ordinator. In his present position Mr. Keaveny oversees the day-to-day manning, operations, and maintenance of the Authority's surface carparks and parking garages.

Mr. Eddie Payne joined the Authority's staff in March 1956 and has been employed as a Cashier at a number of the Authority's parking facilities across the City. He is currently em ployed as Cashier at municipal carpark 70, the former Central Library lot at College and St. George Street. During the presentation ceremony Mr. Payne recalled several amusing anecdotes from the Authority's early days.

## Ten Year Employees

sixteen employees joined the ranks of the tenyear veterans who were entertained at the biennial dinner held this year at the Park Plaza Hotel on the evening of October-1A. This bring o 59 the number of employees, including those since retired, who have achieved ten o more years of service with the Authority.

Those receiving the traditional gift from the Chairman, Mr. John F. Ellis, on this occasion were:
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Mr. F. (Fred) Allen } & \text { Mr. J. (Joe) Rice } \\ \text { Mr. R.J. (Ron) } & \text { Mr. S. (Sam) Roussos } \\ \text { Anderson } & \text { Mr. M. (Morris) } \\ \text { Mr. . (Frank) } & \text { Rubinoff } \\ \text { Mr. (F.trong } & \text { Mr. H. (Her) Smith }\end{array}$
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Mr. J. (Jack) Summer

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Szczepanowski
Mr. A. (Alec) Harper
Mr. P. (Peter)
Mr. E. (Ed) Wagner

Mr. T. (Ted) Mate


Supervisor Alex Harper receives his retirement award from the Authority.

## Retirements

Our best wishes go with the following employees who retired during the year unde review:
Mr. A. (Alec) Harper
Mr. C. (Carl) Hurd
Mr. M. (Mike) Keenash
Mr. S. (Stanley) Moon
Mr. S. (Stan) Szczepanowsk
Mr. F. (Felix) Unglik


Carl Hurd and Stanley Szczepanowski receive retirement awards from the Authority.

## Deaths

It is with sorrow that we record the death of $M r$.
J. Conn on January 22, 1981 and Mr. A. DiTomasso on December 23, 1981.

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