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TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, June 14, 2005

PRESENT: Aids. Becker, Herzog, Maher, Purins -4

EXCUSED: Ald. Krol

ALSO

PRESENT: W. Kappel, Dir. of Public Works

Ald. Becker as Chair called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Proposed Ordinance - Three-Hour Parking in 6800 block of W. North Avenue

The committee reviewed the proposed ordinance creating a three hour parking zone along the south side of W. North Avenue between N. 68th and N. 69th Streets.

Moved by Ald. Maher, seconded by Ald. Herzog to recommend adoption of the ordinance. Ayes: 4

Completion of 90-Day Trial – Two-Hour Parking Restrictions in 1200 Block of N. 85th Street

Mr. Kappel reported that this is one of the areas somewhat adjacent to the county grounds where temporary parking measures were instituted. On this street, however, one of the local aldermen requested more permanent measures. Other than a concern about a sign location, there have been no complaints during the 90-day trial of two-hour parking on both sides of the 1200 block of N. 85th Street. It was not possible to relocate the sign of concern. Signs were also placed to identify the no parking to corner zone north of the crosswalk on the east side of N. 85th Street north of Watertown Plank Road.

Moved by Ald. Purins, seconded by Ald. Maher to recommend introduction of an ordinance to establish parking restrictions in the 1200 block of N. 85th Street. Ayes: 4

Request for School Day Parking Restrictions on W. Glendale Avenue

Mr. Kappel reported that one of the local aldermen is seeking school day parking restrictions on both sides of W. Glendale Avenue between N. 100th and N. 101st Streets. There reportedly have been issues with parents and visibility problems with children. Mr. Kappel recommended a 90-day trial beginning with the start of school in September. The signs would be installed just prior to Labor Day.

Moved by Ald. Maher, seconded by Ald. Purins to approve a 90-day trial of no parking on school days from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on both

sides of W. Glendale Avenue between N. 100th and N. 101st Streets;
trial to begin just prior to Labor Day –

Mr. Kappel was uncertain if Madison School representatives had been contacted but indicated that he would make contact during the summer.

Ald. Maher commented that he is often in this area since his daughter attends Madison School but has not observed any problems.

Vote on the motion, Ayes: 4

Bus Stop Parking on W. Blue Mound Road at N. Robertson Avenue

Mr. Kappel reported that the transit company noticed last week that a no parking sign was missing for their 6-8 a.m. school-days stop on W. Blue Mound Road at N. Robertson Avenue. This is a transfer point for students attending West High School and Whitman Middle School. Outside of the bus stop hours, this is a one-hour zone. The sign was removed when the city's sign technician noticed it was becoming faded and couldn't find any ordinance language for the restriction. Since the transit company has requested restoration of the zone, it is necessary to establish ordinance language for enforcement purposes.

Moved by Ald. Herzog, seconded by Ald. Maher to recommend introduction of an ordinance to establish no parking from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m. on school days for a bus loading zone on W. Blue Mound Road at N. Robertson Avenue. Ayes: 4

The meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m.

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Carla A. Ledesma, City Clerk
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