

CITY OF NEWTON

IN CITY COUNCIL

TRAFFIC COUNCIL ACTIONS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2016

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Present: David Koses, Traffic Council Chair; Sgt. Jay Babcock, Newton Police Department; Alicia Wilson, Resident member, Nicole Freedman, Director of Transportation and Councilor Blazer

Absent: Councilor Ciccone

Also Present: Capt. Paul Anastasia, Newton Police Department, Councilors Hess-Mahan and Leary

- TC28-16 COUNCILOR HESS-MAHAN, requesting a change to the parking restriction in front of 25 Chestnut Street from 15-minute parking zone to a two-hour parking restriction, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., weekdays only. (Ward 3) [07/22/16 @ 11:10 AM]
ACTION: **HELD (5-0) Held pending draft Traffic and Parking Regulation (TPR) language to approve the following: Three spaces to be signed with a 15- minute limit 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Remaining two spaces to be signed with 2-hour limit, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.**
- TC36-16 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting a stop sign at the end of Gardner Street, as it intersects with School Street. (Ward 1) [08/30/16 @ 4:56 PM]
ACTION: **APPROVED 5-0. Approved TPR language.
This item may be appealed through the close of business November 9, 2016.**
- TC30-16 BARBARA DANGELO, 56 Lincoln Road, requesting a "Do Not Enter" Sign at the intersection of Crafts Street and Lincoln Road. (Ward 1) [07/27/16 @ 8:43 AM]
ACTION: **DENIED 5-0.
This item may be appealed through the close of business November 9, 2016.**
- TC23-16 COUNCILOR LEARY, requesting removal of the "Right on Red After Stop" sign at the traffic light on Washington Street and Charlesbank Road/Saint James Street heading westbound as you enter the Newton Corner rotary. (Ward 1) [06/13/16 @ 11:25 AM]
ACTION: **HELD 5-0.**
- TC22-16 DINORA JUSTICE, et al. 134 Hunnewell Avenue, requesting the installation of a "No Turn on Red" sign at the intersection of Tremont and Park Streets in Newton Corner to address safety concerns. (Ward 1) [06/13/16 @ 11:25 AM]
ACTION: **APPROVED 2-1-2 (Babcock opposed; Blazer and Wilson abstained).
Approved TPR language for a "No Turn on Red" sign at the corner of Tremont Street (westbound) at Park Street.
This item may be appealed through the close of business November 9, 2016.**

TC65-15 ALDERMEN CROSSLEY, RICE AND YATES, requesting changes to the parking regulations on Southwick Road, in order to incorporate Southwick Road into the Waban Village Parking District. (Ward 5) [11/24/15 @ 9:37 AM]
HELD (5-0) on 09/22/16. Held pending draft Traffic and Parking Regulation (TPR) language to approve the following: Add Southwick Road into the Waban Village Parking District. Add No parking, any time, south side, from Collins Road to a point where the roadway widens near the cul-de-sac. Add Two-hour limit, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, north side and around the cul-de-sac, except by Waban Resident parking permit. Allow up to four non-resident Waban parking permits for Southwick Road.

ACTION: APPROVED AS AMENDED 4-1 (Babcock opposed). Approved Amended TPR language.
This item may be appealed through the close of business November 9, 2016.

TC63-15 ALDERMEN CROSSLEY, RICE AND YATES, requesting changes to the parking regulations on the section of Waban Avenue between Nehoiden Road and Collins Road (including the reconfigured one-way southbound section of Waban Avenue), in order to incorporate these sections of Waban Avenue into the Waban Village Parking District. (Ward 5) [11/24/15 @ 9:37 AM]
HELD (5-0) on 09/22/16. Held pending draft Traffic and Parking Regulation (TPR) language to approve the following:

Remove the following regulation: Two-hour limit, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., west side, except by Waban Resident parking permit, from a point 130 feet south of Beacon Street, 134 feet southerly. (*Two non-resident parking permits to be available to Angier School staff*).

Add the following parking regulation: Two-hour limit, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except by Waban Resident parking permit, (1) from a point 130 feet south of Beacon Street, 134 feet southerly. (2) north side, between Annawan Road and the boundary between #45 and #53 Waban Avenue, (north side); (3) between Annawan Road and the boundary between #54 and #62 Waban Avenue (south side); (4) Southwest side between Waban Avenue's Northern Roadway and Waban Avenue's Southern Roadway). (Up to four non-resident permits permitted.)

Add the following parking regulation: Prohibited, all times: Manitoba Road to the boundary between #45 and #53 Waban Avenue, (north side)

Add the following sections of Waban Avenue into the Waban Village Parking District: Waban Avenue, north side (Manitoba Road to Annawan Road; Waban Avenue, south side (from boundary of #54 and #62 Waban Avenue to Annawan Road); Waban Avenue (southwest side between Waban Avenue's Northern Roadway and Waban Avenue's Southern Roadway).

ACTION: APPROVED 4-0 (Freedman not voting). Approved TPR language.
This item may be appealed through the close of business November 9, 2016.

TC57-15 ALDERMEN CROSSLEY, RICE AND YATES, requesting changes to the parking regulations on the section of Annawan Road between Waban Avenue and the 90-degree turn near #26 Annawan Road, in order to incorporate this section of Annawan Road into the Waban Village Parking District. (Ward 5) [11/24/15 @ 9:37 AM]
HELD (5-0) on 09/22/16. Held pending draft Traffic and Parking Regulation (TPR) language to approve the following: Remove all existing parking regulations on Annawan Road. Add the following parking regulation: No parking any time, west and north side, from Waban Avenue to the boundary between #39 and #51 Annawan Road.

ACTION: APPROVED 4-0 (Freedman not voting). Approved TPR language.
This item may be appealed through the close of business November 9, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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Traffic Council Chair