

CITY OF NEWTON
BOARD OF ALDERMEN
TRAFFIC COUNCIL AGENDA

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2013

7:00 PM
City Hall
Room 222

ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- HP1-13 ADEBA OSMANI, 62 Manet Road, Unit 2, requesting a handicap parking space in front of 62 Manet Road. (Ward 7) [02/13/13 @ 12:25 PM]
The Newton Commission on Disability voted on 03/27/13, to recommend to the Traffic Council that a HP space be designated in front of 62 Manet Road.
- TC40-12 ALD. SALVUCCI, on behalf of Joanne Langione Dance Center, 35 Border Street, requesting “No Parking” signs limited to after school hours (2pm – 6pm), Monday through Friday to facilitate safe drop offs/pickups of students. (Ward 3) [10/03/12 @ 11:37 AM]
**(1) APPROVE 5-0. Eliminate the “no parking” restriction on Border Street, south side, from 250 feet east of Harvey Place to Elm Street. This represents no change to the existing signage.
This may be appealed through the close of business March 20, 2013.**
**(2) APPROVE 5-0. Create a no parking zone on Border Street, south side, from Harvey Place to a point 250 feet east of Harvey Place. This represents no change to the existing signage.
This may be appealed through the close of business March 20, 2013.**
(3) HELD 5-0 on 02/28/13 for 60-day trial. Live Parking, Border Street, north side, in front of 35 Border Street, between 2:00 PM and 6:00 PM, Monday – Friday.
- TC27-12 DAVID KOSES, on behalf of Jayne Colino and the Department of Senior Services, requesting eight (8) parking spaces in the rear of the Austin Street parking lot be designated for the Department of Senior Services. (Ward 2) [06/08/12 @ 4:40 PM]
- TC28-12 JOSEPH CIUFFINE, 188 Cabot Street #2, requesting a Stop Sign or alternative solution at the north-west corner of Cabot Street and East Side Parkway. (Ward 2) [06/14/12 @ 2:23 PM]

The location of this meeting is handicap accessible and reasonable accommodations will be provided to persons requiring assistance. If you have a special accommodation need, please contact the Newton ADA Coordinator Trisha Guditz at 617-796-1156 or tguditz@newtonma.gov or via TDD/TTY at (617) 796-1089 at least two days in advance of the meeting.

- TC62-13 LAUREN KOHL, 42 Oakwood Road, requesting that Oakwood Road, from Upland to the Dead End, become part of the Newtonville Neighborhood Parking District, and that the regulations change to two hour limit, except by resident permit and visitor permit, 8AM-4PM, School Days, both sides. (Ward 2) [04/29/13 @ 10:36 AM]
- TC32-12 ALD. LAPPIN, requesting a full traffic signal at the intersection of Nahanton and Winchester Streets. (Ward 8) [06/29/12 @ 12:53 PM]
- TC6-13 DAVID KOSES, requesting a left turn prohibition between 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM from Bridge Street southbound onto Watertown Street eastbound. (Ward 1) [02/14/13 @ 3:35 PM]
- TC8-13 PATRICK BAXTER, requesting a Stop Sign on Varick Road at Beacon Street. (Ward 5) [03/06/13 @ 12:23 PM]
- TC10-13 PATRICK BAXTER, requesting a conversion to one-way circulation on Beecher Terrace. (Ward 6) [03/18/13 @ 9:25 AM]

ITEMS NOT SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- TC67-13 WARD 4 ALDERMEN, requesting temporary parking restrictions to go into effect as soon as possible to alleviate heavy commuter parking along Hancock Street between Woodland Road and Central Street until the Transportation Planner, Traffic Engineer and the Police Department complete and submit a parking management plan for Auburndale Square. (Ward 4) [05/16/13 @ 12:55 PM]
- TC66-13 JULES ABBER, 9 Woodward Street, requesting a one-hour increase to the one-hour parking restriction on Woodward Street, in order to provide sufficient parking time for businesses in the area on Woodward Street, between Boylston Street and Lincoln Street. (Ward 6) [05/15/13 @ 2:07 PM]
- TC65-13 ALD. DANBERG, BLAZAR & SCHWARTZ, requesting review of parking restrictions on Langley Road, Newton Centre (Ward 6) in order to address safety concerns. (Ward 6) [05/10/13 @ 3:20 PM]
- TC64-13 ALD. HARNEY, SANGIOLO & GENTILE, on behalf of the local residents requesting No Parking 8am to 10am , or No Parking 7am to 9am and 4pm to 6pm except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays on the even numbered side of Hancock Street, between Central Street and Woodland Road, Auburndale (Ward 4). Commuters are parking all day during the week creating public safety issues for the local residents. (Ward 4) [05/09/13 @ 5:29 PM]
- TC63-13 ALD. SALVUCCI on behalf of Joseph Antonellis, 30 Richards Circle requesting no right turn on red on the corner of Waltham Street and Crafts Street. (Ward 3) [05/07/13 @ 10:20 AM]

- TC61-13 ALD. JOHNSON, requesting extending the no parking from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm on Sundays on the east side of Walnut Street between Crafts Street and Linwood Avenue. (Wards 1 & 2) [04/08/13 10:17 AM]
- TC60-13 ALD. ALBRIGHT, requesting reconfiguration of the intersection of Lowell Avenue and Commonwealth Avenue so that runners and walkers who currently do not use the crosswalk at the light are protected from drivers who must drive across the Carriage Road to wait at the light. (Ward 2) [04/01/13 @ 8:53 PM]
- TC59-13 ALD. DANBERG, BLAZAR AND SCHWARTZ, requesting parking on Warren Street, Newton Centre be limited to one side of the street, between Langley Road and Glen Avenue. (Wards 6 & 7) [03/27/13 @ 11:22 AM]
- TC5-13 ALD. HESS-MAHAN & SWISTON AND DAVID KOSES, requesting changing Davis Street to a one-way street, and changes to the on-street parking spaces on Davis Street. (Ward 3) [02/05/13 @ 3:03 PM]
- TC46-12 DAVID KOSES, proposing a two-hour parking zone on Tremont Street near Marlboro Street, at the locations of the MBTA bus stops, which are slated to be removed, consistent with the Key Bus Routes Improvement Project. (Ward 1) [10/30/12 @ 10:31 AM]
- TC18-12 ALD. HARNEY & SANGIOLO, on behalf of local businesses requesting a) review of the parking restrictions on Auburn Street, south side, from Woodland Road to Melrose Street and b) the possibility of adding No Parking 7am-9am, Monday - Friday the entire length from Woodland Road to Melrose Street. (Ward 4) [05/29/12 @ 8:01 PM]
HELD (3-0, Grafe not voting) on 11/15/12, for a 60-day trial to add the following parking restriction: No Parking, 7AM to 9AM, Monday to Friday, Auburn Street, South Side, between Woodbine Street and Melrose Street within the formerly unrestricted area.
- TC66-11 JEROME GRAFE, requesting parking restrictions as necessary and the installation of a bicycle lane on Walnut Street between Elm Road and Commonwealth Avenue in both northbound and southbound directions. (Ward 2) [11/28/11 @ 3:16 PM]
HELD (3-2, Grafe, Koses opposed) on 06/14/12
- TC23-11 ALD. CICCONE, on behalf of the Public Safety & Transportation Committee and Ald. Lennon requesting improvements of pedestrian safety, activity and traffic situations in the area of Charlesbank and Nonantum Roads. (Ward 1) [05/04/11 @ 11:09 AM]

- TC17-10 TRAFFIC COUNCIL CHAIR, JIM DANILA, on behalf of School Department, requesting parking restrictions on Walnut Street between Hull Street and Otis Street. (Ward 2) [05/12/10 @ 4:30 PM]
A) APPROVED (4-0-1, Harney abstaining) on 06/24/10. No parking anytime, both sides, for the 3-lane section between Otis Street and a point where the northbound left-turn lane to Elm Road begins.
B) HELD (5-0) on 06/24/10 for 60-Day Trial, No standing, both sides, School Days 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., between a point where the northbound left-turn lane to Elm Road begins at Hull Street.
B) HELD (4-1, Grafe opposed) on 09/30/10 to extend existing 60-day trial.
B) HELD (4-1, Grafe opposed) on 06/14/12

ITEMS TO BE REVIEWED FOR PRELIMINARY ELIGIBILITY:

- TC WILLIAM DILWORTH, 34 Fairway Drive, requesting a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Fairway Drive and Bunker Lane in West Newton. (Ward 3) [05/07/13 @ 2:47 PM]
- TC ENOCH HUANG, 46 Cloverdale Road, Newton Highlands, requesting traffic calming measures on Miller Road and Cloverdale Road. (Ward 6) [04/16/2013 @ 1:29 PM]
- TC42-12 ALD. HARNEY & SANGIOLO, on behalf of local residents, requesting a) study of speed on Auburn Street, between Charles Street and Woodland Road in Auburndale; b) study of possible traffic calming measures; and c) request for a raised crosswalk at the intersection of Auburn Street and Woodland Road. (Ward 4) [10/04/12 @ 4:02 PM]
- TC38-12 ALD. SWISTON, on behalf of Kevin and Melissa Gulley, 78 Prospect Street, requesting traffic calming measures on Prospect Street. (Ward 3) [09/20/12 @ 1:41 PM]

Respectfully submitted,

David Koses, Traffic Council Chair