

CITY OF NEWTON
BOARD OF ALDERMEN
TRAFFIC COUNCIL AGENDA

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2013

6:30 PM NOTE EARLY START TIME

City Hall
Room 222

ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- TC61-13 ALD. JOHNSON, requesting a) no parking, any time, on the north side of Linwood Avenue between Crafts Street & Walnut Street, b) no parking, any time, on the east side of Walnut Street between Linwood Avenue & Crafts Street, and c) no parking, any time, on the south side of Crafts Street between Walnut Street and Linwood Avenue. (Wards 1 and 2) [04/08/13 @ 10:17 AM]
[Revised 05/23/13]
- 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]
HELD 5-0 on 05/30/13
- 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]
- 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]
- TC65-13 ALD. DANBERG, BLAZAR & SCHWARTZ , requesting a review and possible change to the parking restrictions on Langley Road between Warren Street and Beecher Place, Newton Centre (Ward 6) in order to address safety concerns. (Ward 6) [05/10/13 @ 3:20 PM] [Revised 06/12/13]
- 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]

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- 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]
- 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]

ITEMS NOT SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

DISCUSSION ITEM: Discussion to determine whether the on-street handicap parking spaces list should be incorporated into the Transportation and Parking Regulations. [05/22/13 @ 12:30 PM]

- 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]
- 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 DAVID KOSES, requesting the addition of stop signs on Eldredge Street (northbound and southbound) at Vernon Street. (Ward 1) 05/22/13 @ 1:22 PM]
- 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