

**CITY OF NEWTON
TRAFFIC COUNCIL ACTIONS
THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2010**

Note: Below is a summary of Traffic Council actions only. A full meeting report summarizing the Council's discussion and public testimony regarding each agenda item will be posted on the City website in approximately two weeks following the above meeting date.

Present: Jim Danila (Transportation Engineer), Danielle Delaney (Clerk), David Koses (Transportation Planner), Jim Norcross (Police), Jerome Grafe (Resident Member) and Jay Harney (Alderman)

Also present: Ald. Fuller, Ciccone and Linsky

TC27-09 CHARLES MUELLER, 22 Chestnut Hill Road, Chestnut Hill, requesting (1) First 50 yards on Gate House Road southwards from Beacon Street "No Parking" (2) Chestnut Hill Terrace "1 hour parking from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. excluding Sundays and Holidays" and "No Parking from 5:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.". (Ward 7)
Approve as Amended (5-0). Tow-away zone on Gate House Road, both sides, from Beacon Street to Chestnut Hill Terrace. No parking on Chestnut Hill Terrace, north side, entire length. No parking from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Chestnut Hill Terrace, south side, entire length.

TC35-09 ALD. CICCONE AND LENNON on behalf of Steven Groleau, 45 Jefferson Street, Newton, requesting a thorough discussion regarding parking restrictions and potential one-way traffic flow for Jefferson Street, Newton Corner. (Ward 1)
Hold (5-0). Continue 60-day trial established on 11/19/09 for Tow-away zones established by the Engineering Division to allow access in and out of residents' driveways. Add an additional Tow-away zone between the driveways of 58 and 62 Jefferson Street.

TC37-09 DEBORAH MENDOLSOHN, 20 Elizabeth Circle, West Newton, requesting a discussion regarding pedestrian safety at the intersection of Commonwealth Avenue and Exeter Street. (Ward 3)
No Action Necessary (4-1, Grafe). DPW will add additional warning signage and will repaint the crosswalk in the spring.

TC36-09 ALD. JOHNSON, ALBRIGHT AND LINSKY seeking a discussion with the Traffic Council regarding the speeding issues in the Cabot Street Corridor. (Wards 1 and 2)
No Action Necessary (5-0).

TC43-09 ALD. LINSKY requesting additional school zones around the Cabot Elementary School. (Ward 2)

Denial (5-0). DPW will add a crosswalk across Bridges Avenue at Cabot Street and repaint the mid-block crosswalk on Parkview Avenue in the spring.

TC38-09 JANET WERTHEIMER, 11 Manitoba Road, Waban, requesting a discussion regarding parking restrictions on Manitoba Road. (Ward 5)

Hold (5-0). Establish a 60-day trial. No parking from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Manitoba Road, west side.