

CITY OF NEWTON

TRAFFIC COUNCIL ACTIONS

Thursday, May 27, 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; David Koses, Transportation Planner; Sgt. James Norcross, Newton Police Department, Jerome Grafe, Resident Member, Clint Schuckel, Traffic Engineer and Ald. Ciccone

Also present: Ald. Johnson, Linsky and Albright

TC53-09 ANN L. WOLF, 133 Waban Avenue, requesting 2 hour parking, 7 am – 6 pm, both sides of Waban Avenue between Annawan Road and Nehoiden Road. (Ward 5)

ACTION: Denial (3-2, Ciccone, Norcross).

TC16-10 TRAFFIC COUNCIL CHAIR on behalf of School Department, requesting time of day turn restrictions at the intersection of Walnut Street and Elm Road. (Ward 2)

ACTION: Hold until September Traffic Council Meeting (3-2, Ciccone, Norcross).

TC17-10 TRAFFIC COUNCIL CHAIR on behalf of School Department, requesting parking restrictions on Walnut Street between Hull Street and Otis Street. (Ward 2)

ACTION: Hold (5-0).

TC18-10 TRAFFIC COUNCIL CHAIR on behalf of School Department, requesting live parking zones be created on Hull Street adjacent to sidewalk/stairs leading to NNHS entrance. (Ward 2)

ACTION: Hold for 60-Day Trial (5-0), No Standing, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., School Days, north side of Hull Street, from a point west of Dexter Road, westerly 150 feet.

TC19-10 TRAFFIC COUNCIL CHAIR on behalf of School Department, requesting one-way flow and Tiger permit parking on the public way section of Elm Road. (Ward 2)

ACTION: Approved as Amended (5-0), Elm Road one-way eastbound from Lowell Avenue to the end of the public way.

TC12-10 ALD. ALBRIGHT, LINSKY AND JOHNSON requesting creation of safe controlled pedestrian crossing on Walnut Street at a location between Dexter Road and Hull Street. (Ward 2)

ACTION: No Action Necessary (4-1, Grafe).

TC11-10 JEREMY RABSON, 113 Beaumont Avenue, requesting resident and visitor parking permits on Beaumont Avenue during school hours. (Ward 2)

ACTION: Hold for 60-Day Trial (5-0), replace existing parking restrictions on east side of Beaumont Avenue between Prospect Park and Prospect Avenue with No Parking, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., School Days, and replace existing parking restrictions on west side of Beaumont Avenue between Prospect Park and Commonwealth Avenue with No Parking, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., School Days.

TC14-10 WILLIAM FRANKLIN, 29 Trowbridge Avenue, requesting a) no parking either side of Trowbridge Avenue 24 hrs/day except by permit, b) each household should be issued two mobile permits and c) the street should be posted on either end as residents only. (Ward 2)

ACTION: Hold for 60-Day Trial (5-0), replace existing parking restrictions on north side of the public way section of Trowbridge Avenue with No Parking, all days, and replace existing parking restrictions on south side of public way section of Trowbridge Avenue with One-Hour Limit, 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., all days.