

CITY OF NEWTON

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

TRAFFIC COUNCIL AGENDA

MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2006

Room 222 7:00 pm

ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- #217-05 ALD. JOHNSON, ALBRIGHT, LINSKY, GENTILE, HESS-MAHAN, SALVUCCI requesting an analysis and discussion of traffic mitigation possibilities during the morning and evening commuter rush-hour on the section of Crafts Street between Waltham Street and Walnut Street. (Wards 1 and 3).
HELD 11/17/05
- #336-05 BARBARA W. TANZER, 150 Grant Avenue requesting a speed reduction to 25 mph on a portion of Grant Avenue between Beacon Street and Commonwealth Avenue. (Ward 6)
- #384-05 ALD. HARNEY requesting “no parking” on one side of Central Street between Commonwealth Ave and Grove Street, Auburndale. (Ward 4)
- #32-06 CANDACE HAVENS requesting consideration of long-term parking meters
1. On the west side of Centre Street between Tyler Terrace and Bowen Street
2. On the south side of Lyman Street between Centre Street and Willow Street.
- #33-06 CANDACE HAVENS requesting consideration of
1. “Live” Parking zones on Union Street and Braeland Ave.(approx 12 spaces total) in front of Newton Centre “T” Stop from 4:30-6:30 PM to eliminate double-parking and improve drop-off and pick-up of transit riders; includes relocation of handicap parking space on Union Street to opposite side of street
2. 12-hour parking meters in unmetered section of Braeland Ave. from Herrick Road to Langley Road.
- #34-06 CANDACE HAVENS requesting to change 37 short-term metered parking spaces to long-term parking spaces in the Pelham Street Parking lot. Request to change 12 short-term metered parking spaces to long-term parking spaces in Pleasant Street parking lot.
- #100-06
(225-92) ALD. SANGIOLO requesting amendment of parking restrictions on Auburn Street from south side, from Woodland Road to opposite Ash Street to permit shared use of on-street parking by businesses and commuters. (Ward 4)

#122-06 ALD. BAKER requesting revisions to parking restrictions on Reservoir Avenue so that the existing one-hour limits apply to both sides (Ward 7)

ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION

#99-06 JOHN REICHARD, 63 Monadnock Road, Chestnut Hill requesting that parking be restricted to one hour between 7 am and 1 pm, including Saturdays and Sundays, on both sides of Monadnock Road between Wachusett and Hammondswood Roads. (Ward 7)

#389-05 ALD. SANGIOLO, HARNEY requesting the creation of a blue zone in front of the Williams School on Grove Street where current bus drop off zone exists.

HELD 03/16-06 FOR 60-DAY TRIAL

#389-05(2) ALD. SANGIOLO, HARNEY requesting the creation of bus drop off zone where current blue zone exists on Grove Street.(Ward 4)

HELD 03/16-06 FOR 60-DAY TRIAL

#389-05(3) ALD. SANGIOLO, HARNEY requesting No Left Turn Monday-Friday during school hours from new blue zone. (Ward 4)

HELD 03/16-06 FOR 60-DAY TRIAL

#216-05 ALD. LAPPIN requesting a discussion of solutions to the public safety issues related to the intersection of DEDHAM and NAHANTON STREETS. (Ward 8)
HELD 12/15/05

#335-05 ALD. JOHNSON requesting a study of the impact of visitors, in cars and bikes, to the Charles River walk-on the neighboring streets of Albemarle Road and Bemis Street and make recommendations for relief and safety for residents. Ward 2

#361-05
(211-00) ALD. SAMUELSON requesting relocation of existing Stop Sign on Chestnut Street northbound at Rte. 9 service road from the south side of the bridge to the north side of the bridge
Note:Requires State approval. HELD 12/15/05

#362-05 ALD. SAMUELSON requesting No Left Turn on eastbound Route 9 service road south side of the bridge) onto Chestnut Street northbound. Suggested route from eastbound Route 9 off-ramp; turn left onto Quinobequin Road, turn right onto Route 9 service road, and left onto Chestnut Street (north side of bridge).
Note: Requires State approval. HELD 12/15/05

#387-05 ALD. SAMUELSON requesting creating establishment of alternate “no parking” zones from 9-11 am and 1-3 pm on side streets in the Highlands that intersect Lincoln and Walnut Streets. (Wards 5,6) **HELD 2/16/06**

- #101-06 ALD. JOHN STEWART, 23 Pierrepont Road, Newton Lower Falls recommending the installation of parking meters, on Beacon Street (Woodward to MBTA Bridge), Windsor Road (Kinmonth to Beacon), and Wyman Street (Woodward to #77)
(Ward 5)
- #120-06 ALD. SAMUELSON seeking parking restrictions on Plymouth Road, Newton Highlands to discourage commuter parking. (Wards 5,6)
- #121-06 ALD. SAMUELSON requesting seasonal parking restrictions on one side of Beethoven Avenue, Saturdays only, to discourage parking on both sides during game days at playground. (Ward 5)
- #132-06 TRAFFIC ENGINEER & TRANSPORTATION PLANNER requesting consideration of long term meters on Washington Street, south side, at following locations: between Lowell Avenue and Walnut Street; and From Harvard Street to a point 500' easterly
- #146-06 DIRECTOR OF PLANNING, on behalf of Newton Corner Advisory Committee, requesting installation of 2 electronic speed display signs (both directions) on Pearl Street, just west of Emerson Street, using CDBG funding. (Ward 1)
- #147-06 ALD. BURG requesting on behalf of Janet Schuster-Cardoza 1701 Commonwealth Avenue, installation of a STOP SIGN on the westbound carriage lane of Commonwealth Avenue, near Oldham Road. (Ward 3)
- #191-06 ALD. SAMUELSON requesting installation of a stop sign on Gammons Road at the intersection of Roslyn Road, Waban (Ward 5).
- #192-06 ALD. SAMUELSON requesting installation of a stop sign on Ashmont Road at the intersection of Roslyn Road, Waban (Ward 5).

Respectfully submitted,
Clint Schuckel, Traffic Engineer