

CITY OF NEWTON

IN CITY COUNCIL

TRAFFIC COUNCIL AGENDA

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 2017

7:00 PM
City Hall
Room 211

ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- TC32-17 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR AND STEPHEN SIMOGLU, TRAFFIC ENGINEER, requesting an amendment to Sec. TPR-84 in order to establish a 25 mph speed limit on all city controlled streets unless otherwise posted, as listed in Sec. TPR-84. [03/21/17 @ 9:05 AM]
- TC17-16 COUNCILOR RICE, requesting a 2-hour parking restriction or other parking restrictions on Ridgeway Terrace to deter commuter parking. (Ward 5) [05/10/16 @ 10:10 AM]
**HELD (3-1, Koses opposed) on 07/28/16. Held for a trial of the following:
No parking, any time, west side, including the dead end, and extending fifteen feet beyond the fire hydrant on the east side. No parking, east side, from Canterbury Road to a point 15 feet north of the dead end, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., except Saturday, Sunday or Holiday.**
- TC27-16 SGT. BABCOCK AND DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting review and possible change to the parking regulations on Summer Street. (Ward 5) [07/12/16 @ 2:58 PM]
- TC7-17 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting a school zone on Beacon Street near the reconstructed Zervas Elementary School. (Ward 5) [02/06/17 @ 9:16 AM]
- TC33-17 COUNCILOR RICE, requesting evaluation of a parking restriction at the end Evelyn Road by Beacon Street during Zervas drop off and pick up times. (Ward 5) [03/27/17 @ 9:55 AM]

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- TC19-17 YIGAL AGAM, 198 Woodcliff Road, requesting a) Stop sign on Walnut Hill Road, b) Stop sign on Woodcliff Road for southbound traffic and c) Median on Walnut Hill Road, so cars approach Woodcliff Road at a right angle to address safety concerns and deter speeders. (Wards 5 & 6) [07/27/15 @ 1:16 PM]
- TC17-17 ALD. SCHWARTZ, on behalf of Yigal Agam, 198 Woodcliff Road, requesting an 'all-way stop' arrangement at the intersection of Dedham and Walnut Streets to deter speeders and address safety concerns. (Wards 5 & 8) [01/21/15 @ 9:10AM]
- TC18-17 JOHN LEWIS, 56 Lawmarissa Road, requesting a stop sign at the intersection of Lawmarissa, Fredana and Oakvale Roads to address safety concerns. (Ward 5) [07/02/15 @ 11:50 AM]
- TC15-17 ALD. RICE, on behalf of the neighborhood, requesting stop signs and a crosswalk at the intersection of Devonshire Road and Larkspur Road, Waban. (Ward 5) [10/07/14 @ 9:35 AM]
- TC6-17 STEPHEN SIMOGLU, TRAFFIC ENGINEER AND DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting consideration of stop or yield signage at the intersection of Stony Brae Road and Shady Hill Road. (Ward 5) [02/03/17 @ 9:00 AM]

Chair's Note: It is the Chair's intention to entertain a motion for No Action Necessary on the following three (3) items:

- TC38-16 COUNCILORS CROSSLEY, FULLER, RICE AND YATES, requesting a discussion and potential change to the travel restrictions on Beethoven Avenue near the intersection of Beacon Street, which may include a "do not enter" restriction during specified times. (Ward 5) [09/22/16 @ 2:06 PM]
- TC62-15 ALDERMEN CROSSLEY, RICE AND YATES, requesting changes to the parking regulations on the section of Nehoiden Road between Irvington Road and Waban Avenue, in order to incorporate this section of Nehoiden Road into the Waban Village Parking District. (Ward 5) [11/24/15 @ 9:37 AM]
- TC60-15 ALDERMEN CROSSLEY, RICE AND YATES, requesting changes to the parking regulations on Irvington Road, in order to incorporate Irvington Road into the Waban Village Parking District. (Ward 5) [11/24/15 @ 9:37 AM]

ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- TC34-17 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting the addition of a stop or yield sign at Burnham Road, northbound, at Valentine Street. (Ward 3) [4/03/17 @ 10:35 AM]

- TC31-17 COUNCILOR GENTILE AND LASELL COLLEGE, requesting a change to the parking restrictions along Studio Road at the Aspen Avenue end on the side abutting the college. The suggested change is to allow for 2-hour parking or something similar. (Ward 4) [03/24/17 @ 10:04 AM]
- TC30-17 COUNCILOR ALBRIGHT, requesting traffic calming measures on Lowell Avenue. (Ward 2) [09/03/16 at 1:39 PM]
- TC29-17 WARD 2 COUNCILORS, requesting traffic calming measures on Central Avenue, Newtonville. (Ward 2) [08/16/2016 @ 10:24 AM]
- TC28-17 BARBARA BRUSTOWICZ, 12 Radcliff Road, requesting a) a traffic study be conducted for the purpose of analyzing high speed and traffic volume on Radcliff Road and Tamworth Road and b) implementation of traffic control devices, such as stop signs and/or traffic calming measures to deter speeders and address safety concerns. (Ward 5) [04/22/15 @ 3:21 PM]
- TC27-17 ALD. SANGIOLO, requesting traffic calming measures or a reduction in speed limit on Washington Street between Aspen Avenue and Beacon Street. (Wards 4 & 5) [03/12/15 @ 10:38 AM]
- TC26-17 ALD. LAPPIN, requesting traffic calming measures on Dudley Road. (Ward 8) [07/10/13]
- TC25-17 COUNCILOR KALIS, on behalf of residents of Rachel Road, seeks a discussion on the parking situation on Rachel Road with the intention of testing no parking here to corner and within 5 feet of driveway in designated areas. (Ward 8) [03/13/17 @ 10:42 AM]
- TC24-17 WARD 6 COUNCILORS, on behalf of Laurel Street neighbors, requesting an analysis of parking during swim season on Laurel, Crystal Streets and Hancock Avenue and other streets in the neighborhood, with possible seasonal ban on parking, and/or other measures to mitigate current problems with parking while using Crystal Lake. (Ward 6) [03/10/17 @ 4:02 PM]
- TC23-17 WARD 6 COUNCILORS, on behalf of the neighborhood, requesting a traffic analysis of the area including Marshall, Summer, Everett, Gibb Streets and Chestnut Terrace with possible action to make street safer for pedestrians. (Ward 6) [03/10/17 @ 4:01 PM]
- TC22-17 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR AND STEPHEN SIMOGLU, TRAFFIC ENGINEER, requesting consideration for stop control at the intersection of Nonantum Street, Arlington Street and Shornecliffe Road. (Wards 1& 7) [03/06/17 @ 11:07 AM]

- TC21-17 COUNCILORS SANGIOLO, HARNEY AND GENTILE, requesting that the Traffic Council investigate a 3-way stop sign at the intersection of Hagar and Concord Streets. (Ward 4) [04/29/16 @ 10:13 AM]
- TC20-17 DR. ISABEL MORAIS, 5 Derby Street, requesting a four-way stop sign or a traffic signal at the intersection of Fairway Drive, Waltham and Derby Street to address safety concerns. (Ward 3) [02/12/16 @ 12:20 PM]
- TC16-17 DAVID KOSES, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, requesting the installation of a stop sign on Fountain Street (both directions) at the intersection with Highland Street. (Ward 3) [11/24/14 @ 12:52 PM]
- TC14-17 NEWTON MONTESSORI SCHOOL, 80 Crescent Avenue, requesting a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Beacon Street and Crescent Avenue. (Ward 6) [02/07/14 @ 10:58 AM]
- TC13-17 ANDREW TUBMAN, 16 Brentwood Avenue, requesting a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Greenlawn Avenue, Park Lane, Hancock Avenue and Brentwood Avenue. (Ward 6) [11/04/13 @ 11:06 AM]
- TC12-17 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]
- TC11-17 COUNCILORS FULLER, BAKER AND LAREDO, requesting an analysis of speeding on Grant Avenue (between Commonwealth Avenue and Ward Street) and potential traffic calming procedures. (Ward 7) [02/15/17 @ 3:47 PM]
- TC10-17 COUNCILORS SANGIOLO AND HARNEY, requesting parking restrictions for Fuller Street from intersection of Commonwealth Avenue to Braeburn Golf Course to address commuter parking issues. (Ward 4) [02/14/17 @ 9:37 AM]
- TC9-17 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR AND STEPHEN SIMOGLU, TRAFFIC ENGINEER, requesting discussion and approval of a new RRFB to be installed on Lagrange Street between the Kessler Woods site driveway and the Brookline Town Line, to be funded entirely by the Kessler Woods Developer (Chestnut Hill Realty Development LLC), and subsequently owned and maintained by the City, in accordance with Board Order 102-06(12) dated November 17, 2014. (Ward 8) [02/06/17 @ 9:16 AM]
HELD 5-0 on 03/16/17
- TC2-17 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting a change to the direction of traffic flow on Bram Way, in order to accommodate the reconstruction of the Austin Street parking lot. (Ward 2) [01/09/17 @ 10:25 AM]

- TC50-16 LESLIE KANDEL, 72 Lincoln Street requesting No Parking, in front of 14 Erie Avenue, anytime, from November 15th through April 15th. (Ward 6) [12/02/16 @ 11:37 AM]
- TC49-16 COUNCILOR LAPPIN, requests review, discussion and recommendations regarding public safety issues at the intersection of Rachel Road and Winchester Street. (Ward 8) [11/21/16 @ 3:23 PM]
- TC46-16 JOSH PORTUONDO-DEMBER, 89 Pearl Street, requesting that residents who live in housing units on School Street, and on Pearl Street between Jewett Street and Emerson Street, be exempt from the posted parking regulations. (Ward 1) [10/03/16 @ 4:11 PM]
HELD 4-0 on 02/16/17. HELD for TRIAL of the following:
Remove the following regulations for School Street:
(2) Two-hour limit, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., east side
Add the following regulations for School Street:
(2) Two-hour limit, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., east side
Remove the following regulations for Pearl Street:
(4) Fifteen-minute limit, all days, south side, from Thornton Street westerly 40 feet.
(3) Two-hour limit, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., north side, from School Street to Jewett Street.
Add the following regulations for Pearl Street:
(3) Two-hour limit, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., north side, from Emerson Street to Jewett Street.
- TC24-16 WARD 6 COUNCILORS, on behalf of Rowena Road residents, requesting a discussion of parking restrictions on Rowena Road, including the possible implementation of a one-side only parking regulation along all or part of Rowena Road. (Ward 6) [06/22/16 @ 7:58 PM]
HELD (4-0) on 07/28/16. Held for a trial of the following: No parking, any time, south side, entire length.
HELD 5-0 on 12/15/16. Hold for a trial of the following: No parking, any time, south side, Allerton Road to Cedric Road. Note: Signage between Allerton Road and Clark Street will be removed. Additional parking regulations may be installed on the north side of Rowena Road, within 50 feet of the intersection of Allerton Road, based on engineering judgment. This item will not be placed on the Traffic Council agenda until at least July 2016 to allow for a trial during the spring soccer season.
- TC23-16 COUNCILOR LEARY, requesting removal of the "Right on Red After Stop" sign at the traffic light on Washington Street and Charlesbank Road/Saint James Street heading westbound as you enter the Newton Corner rotary. (Ward 1)
HELD 5-0 on 10/20/16.

- TC9-16 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting a temporary change to the parking regulations on Tyler Terrace between #50 Tyler Terrace and Centre Street, to accommodate parking for the Fire Station 3/Fire Headquarters Project. (Ward 6) [03/08/16 @ 2:57 PM]
HELD 4-0 on 03/24/16. Hold for Trial. Temporary change to the parking regulations on the north side of Tyler Terrace between Centre Street and 50 Tyler Terrace, during the construction of the new Fire Department Headquarters, to include the addition of dedicated parking for Fire Department project staff.
- TC8-16 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting the temporary removal of approximately six parking meters in the proximity of 1164 Centre Street, with the spaces to be reserved for Fire Department staff, to accommodate parking for the Fire Station 3/Fire Headquarters Project. (Ward 6) [03/08/16 @ 2:57 PM]
HELD 4-0 on 03/24/16. Hold for Trial. Temporary removal of parking meters #589 through #599 along Centre Street, during the construction of the new Fire Department Headquarters, to include the addition of dedicated parking for Fire Department staff.
- TC7-16 COUNCILOR LAPPIN, requesting a discussion of and possible actions for traffic circulation around the island at the corner of Rosalie Road and Dedham Street. (Ward 8) [03/02/16 @ 2:28 PM]
HELD 5-0 on 05/26/16. Held pending trial of changes to traffic circulation and/or line painting.
- TC67-14 ALD. JOHNSON, LINSKY & ALBRIGHT, on behalf of Cabot Street residents, requesting the installation of a raised crosswalk in the Cabot Street corridor, between the intersections of Cabot Street and Parkview Avenue and Cabot Street and East Side Parkway in conjunction with item TC28-12 previously discussed on May 30, 2013. (Ward 2) [06/21/13 @ 9:47 AM]
- TC37-14 ALD. KALIS, requesting a discussion to change Blue Zone signage to make parking more available to parents who need to enter the school to pick up children. (Wards 1-8) [05/14/14 @ 11:00 AM]
HELD 5-0 on 06/26/14.
- 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]
HELD 4-0 on 10/23/14.

Respectfully submitted,
David Koses, Transportation Coordinator
Traffic Council Chair