CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Administration



M E M O R A N D U M TO: Mayor Laurel Lunt Prussing and Members of Urbana City Council FROM: Joseph L. Smith, Senior Civil Engineer William R. Gray, Public Works Director DATE: July 24, 2014 RE: Traffic Commission Ordinances - Anderson Street One-Way Northbound at Wiley Elementary School - Ash Street No Parking East Side

Introduction

At its July 8, 2014 meeting, the Urbana Traffic Commission recommended temporary one way traffic designation on Anderson Street between Florida Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue and parking restrictions on Ash Street between University Avenue and 145 feet north of Park Street.

Background

The first ordinance (Schedule F) is recommended to designate Anderson Street between Florida Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue as a one-way street between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday when school is in session. This temporary designation is recommended to help with traffic flow around Wiley Elementary School during the morning drop-off period and the afternoon dismissal period. The Urbana School District plans to construct a circular drive on school property when the school is remodeled. Until that time, the temporary one-way traffic designation is recommended to provide safe access to students going to and leaving Wiley Elementary School.

The second ordinance (Schedule J) is for the parking restrictions on Ash Street between University Avenue and 145 feet north of Park Street which were requested as a result of the construction on Ash Street that now requires vehicles to park next to a curb instead of the gravel shoulder previously available for parking. Improvements to Ash Street (including the installation of curbs) reduced the width of the street, which allowed room for parking on one side of the street. The recommended parking restrictions would allow safer traffic flow and still maintain the maximum number of parking spaces by restricting parking on the east side of the street.

Recommendation

It is recommended that Council approve an Ordinance Amending Schedule F of Section 23-83 of the Urbana Local Traffic Code Designating One-Way Streets and Alleys (Anderson Street between Florida Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue) and an Ordinance Amending Schedule J of Section 23-183 of the Urbana Local Traffic Code Prohibiting Parking at All Times on Certain Streets (Ash Street).

Attachments: Ordinances Location Map

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ORDINANCE NO. 2014-07-071

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULE J OF SECTION 23-183 OF THE URBANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE PROHIBITING PARKING AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS

(Ash Street)

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana ("Urbana") is an Illinois home rule unit of local government pursuant to Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970 and the statutes of the State of Illinois;; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana has adopted a local traffic code which is set forth in its ordinances as Section 23.1 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana, pursuant to the aforesaid traffic code, has the authority to regulate parking on its streets and in its parking lots; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana restricts parking on streets to provide public safety and access;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. Schedule J of Section 23-183, entitled "Parking Prohibited At All Times on Certain Streets" of Article XIV of the Urbana Local Traffic Code, shall be and is hereby amended by ADDING to that schedule the following portions of streets where no person shall be permitted to park a vehicle at any time:

Street	Between	Side of Street
Ash Street	From the centerline of University Avenue to 145 feet north of the centerline of Park Street	East Side

<u>Section 2</u>. All ordinances, resolutions, motions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court, or any rights acquired, or a liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing prior to the effective date of this Ordinance; nor shall any right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired, or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 4. The City Clerk is directed to publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form by authority of the corporate authorities, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in accordance with Section 1-2-4 of the Illinois Municipal Code.

This Ordinance is hereby passed by the affirmative vote, the "ayes" and "nays" being called, of a majority of the members of the Council of the City of Urbana, Illinois, at a meeting of said Council.

PASSED by the City Council this _____ day of _____, ____,

AYES: NAYS: ABSTAINS:

Phyllis D. Clark, City Clerk

APPROVED by the Mayor this _____ day of _____, ____.

Laurel Lunt Prussing, Mayor

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM

I, Phyllis D. Clark, certify that I am the duly elected and acting Municipal Clerk of the City of Urbana, Champaign County, Illinois.

I certify that on the ______day of _____, the corporate authorities of the City of Urbana passed and approved Ordinance No. ______, entitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULE J OF SECTION 23-183 OF THE URBANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE PROHIBITING PARKING AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN <u>STREETS</u> (Ash Street)," which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

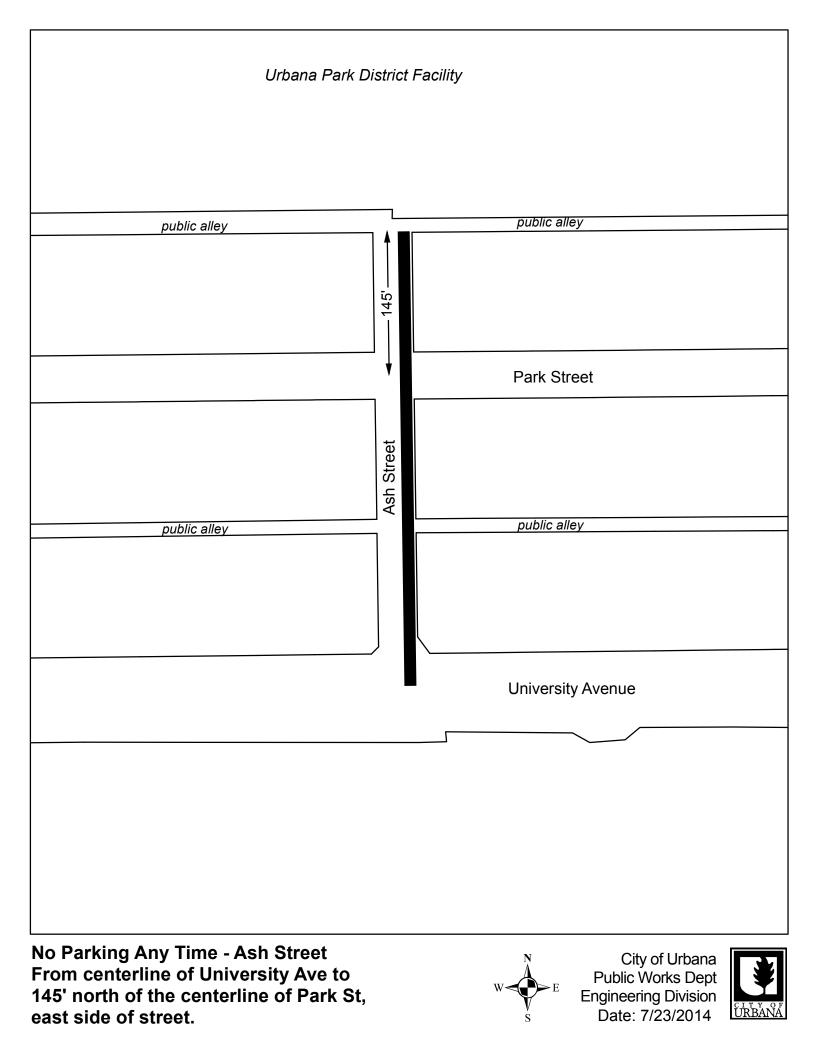
The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. _____ was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted in the Urbana City Building commencing on the ______, and continuing for at least ten (10) days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request at the Office of the City Clerk.

DATED at Urbana, Illinois, this day of ,

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CITY CLERK



ORDINANCE NO. 2014-07-072

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULE F OF SECTION 23-83 OF THE URBANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE DESIGNATING ONE-WAY STREETS AND ALLEYS

(Anderson Street between Florida Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue)

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana ("Urbana") is an Illinois home rule unit of local government pursuant to Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970 and the statutes of the State of Illinois;

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana has adopted a local traffic code which is set forth in its ordinances as Section 23.1 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana is and/or will be undertaking work to improve its streets and sidewalks for all modes of transportation throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, a certain street, namely Anderson Street, must be designated as a temporary one-way street, in order to provide and enhance the safety to those users of that street; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana Traffic Commission conducted a public hearing on July 8, 2014 regarding the designation of a certain street as a one-way street; and

WHEREAS, the designation of one-way streets is authorized pursuant to the City's ordinances including Chapter 23, Article II, Section 23-1 et seq.;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. Schedule F of Section 23-83, entitled "Authority to Restrict Direction of Movement on Street During Certain Periods" of Article VII of the Urbana Local Traffic Code, which Schedule F is incorporated into Chapter 23, entitled Local Traffic Code, pursuant to Article II, Section 23-25, shall be and is hereby amended by ADDING to that Schedule F the following one-way street for a certain portion of:

<u>STREET</u> Anderson Street	<u>FROM</u> Florida Avenue	<u>TO</u> Pennsylvania Avenue	<u>DIRECTION</u> Northbound	<u>DAYS</u> Monday through Friday	TIME OF DAY 7:30AM to 8:30AM
Anderson	Florida	Pennsylvania	Northbound	Monday through	2:30PM to
Street	Avenue	Avenue		Friday	3:30PM

Section 2. That the Traffic Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to post the appropriate signs indicating the direction of traffic flow as set forth in this Ordinance.

<u>Section 3</u>. All ordinances, resolutions, motions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court, or any rights acquired, or a liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing prior to the effective date of this Ordinance; nor shall any right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired, or affected by this Ordinance.

Section 5. No citation for a traffic flow violation for violating the one-way directional change provided for in this Ordinance shall be issued until the appropriate signage shall be fully implemented and in place in accordance with the directives of the City of Urbana City Engineer or his designee.

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AYES:

NAYS:

ABSTAINS:

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Laurel Lunt Prussing, Mayor

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