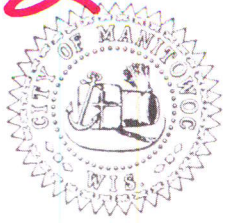




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MEMO

TO: Ald. Chris Able, Chairperson Public Safety Committee

FROM: Greg Minikel, P.E., DPI - Engineering Division Manager *G.M.*

DATE: March 24, 2015

RE: Proposed Changes to Parking Restrictions on Franklin Street from South 21st to South 26th Street

Alder. Brandel had a constituent call him regarding the racing that occurs on westbound Franklin Street between South 21st and South 22nd Street as a result of the 2 lanes going straight and then the right hand lane abruptly ending after South 22nd Street. He brought this issue to the attention of our department and we looked into the issue and also reviewed all of the existing parking ordinances on Franklin Street from South 20th to South 26th Street. We have found several inconsistencies with the existing signage and the existing parking ordinances in Chapter 10 of the Manitowoc Municipal Code (MMC). I have attached a copy of the existing parking ordinance restrictions on Franklin Street from S. 21st to S. 26th Street for your reference.

There are two options regarding the racing issue: We either make the westbound right hand lane a right turn only lane at S. 21st Street or we need to install signage and pavement markings to designate that the right lane ends and to merge to the left at South 22nd Street. Currently, the right hand lane ends without any advanced warning. My recommendation would be to make the right hand lane be a right turn only lane. This should eliminate the racing issue.

In order to accommodate the oversized loads from Broadwind and elsewhere, I feel that we need to eliminate parking on both sides of Franklin Street from S. 25th to S. 26th Street. Currently, there are only "No Parking Here to Corner" signs on both sides of Franklin St. at approximately 100 feet east of S. 26th Street and there is no existing ordinance to support these two signs.

I am also recommending that there be no parking on the north side of Franklin Street from S. 21st to S. 22nd Street. Currently, there is one sign indicating "No Parking on this Side of Street", however, there is no ordinance in the MMC for this sign. This block should have no parking in order to accommodate traffic from the right turn lane coming off of southbound South 21st Street.



- (a) On both sides of Expo Drive from South 41st Street to South Rapids Road.
- (b) On the south side of Expo Drive, beginning 224 feet east of the east curbline of South Rapids Road, thence continuing east 165 feet, except for the purpose of loading and unloading motor vehicles.
- (c) On the south side of Expo Drive from South Rapids Road to Randolph Court.
- (d) On the north side of Expo Drive from the west curbline of South Rapids Road for a distance of 190 feet to the west.
- (e) On both sides of Expo Drive from the east curbline of Vista Road for a distance of 115 feet to the east.

Fairmont Street. There shall be no parking on Fairmont Street as follows:

- (a) On the south side of Fairmont Street between North 23rd and North 24th Streets.
- (b) On the north side of Fairmont Street between North 24th Street and North 30th Street.
- (c) On the north side of Fairmont Street from the west curbline of North 23rd Street to the west for a distance of 60 feet.
- (d) There shall be no parking on both sides of Fairmont Street from the west curbline of North 18th Street for a distance of 50 feet to the west.

Franklin Street. There shall be no parking on Franklin Street as follows:

- (a) On the north side of Franklin Street, east of South 8th Street, for a distance of 80 feet east of the east curbline on South 8th Street.
- (b) On the north side of Franklin Street for a distance of 162 feet east of the east curbline of South 10th Street.
- (c) On the south side of Franklin Street from the west line of South 10th Street for a distance of 162 feet.
- (d) On the north side of Franklin Street from the east curbline of South 12th Street to the east curbline of South 11th Street extended.
- (e) On the north side of Franklin Street from the west line of South 14th Street to the east line of South 15th Street.
- (f) On the south side of Franklin Street between South 14th and South 17th Streets excepting the east 94 feet west of South 14th Street.
- (g) On the north side of Franklin Street between South 16th Street and South 18th Street.
- (h) On both sides of Franklin Street between South 20th Street and South 21st Street.
- (i) On the south side of Franklin Street for a distance of 110 feet west of the west curbline of South 21st Street.
- (j) On the south side of Franklin Street for a distance of 100 feet west from a point located 132 feet to the west of the west curbline of South 22nd Street on Monday through Friday from the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Repeal

(k) On the south side of Franklin Street from the west crosswalk line of the west crosswalk at the intersection of 24th and Franklin for a distance of 40 feet to the west of said west crosswalk line, and that said designated area be indicated by painting it yellow.

(l) On the north side of Franklin Street from the west curblines of South 6th Street for a distance of 175 feet to the west.

(m) On the north side of Franklin Street beginning at the east curblines of South 20th Street, thence continuing east for a distance of 50 feet between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except for the sole purpose of loading and unloading motor vehicles.

South Frontage Road. There shall be no parking on both sides of South Frontage Road.

Grand Avenue. There shall be no parking on Grand Avenue:

(a) On both sides of Grand Avenue for a distance of 200 feet east from the east curblines of Calumet Avenue.

(b) On the north side of Grand Avenue for a distance of 49 feet west of the west curblines of South 9th Street.

(c) On the south side of Grand Avenue for a distance of 68 feet west of the west curblines of South 9th Street.

(d) On the north side of Grand Avenue for a distance of 68 feet east of the east curblines of South 10th Street.

(e) On the south side of Grand Avenue for a distance of 35 feet east of the east curblines of South 10th Street.

Green Street. There shall be no parking on Green Street as follows:

(a) On the north side of Green Street from the east curblines of South 10th Street for a distance of 68 feet to the east. No parking from no parking sign to corner.

(b) On the south side of Green Street from South 9th Street to South 10th Street, during school hours.

Harbor Town Lane. There shall be no parking on both sides of Harbor Town Lane from South 41st Street to Dewey Street.

Holly Drive. There shall be no parking on either side of Holly Drive from the north curblines of East Magnolia Avenue north to a point 100 feet north of the north curblines of Birch Street.

Huron Street. There shall be no parking on the south side of Huron Street from the west curblines of North 11th Street for a distance of 85 feet.

I-Tec Drive. There shall be no parking on either side of I-Tec Drive.

Jay Street. There shall be no parking on Jay Street as follows:

(a) On the south side of Jay Street, east of South 8th Street, for a distance of 49 feet east of the west building edge on South 8th Street.

(b) On the north side of Jay Street from the east curblines of South 9th Street for a distance of 85 feet to the east.

Greg Minikel

From: Tim <maritimeplumbing@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Tuesday, March 24, 2015 9:04 AM
To: Greg Minikel
Subject: Re: Franklin Street - No Parking Zone West of S. 22nd St.

I would like parking permitted on Franklin.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 24, 2015, at 8:57 AM, Greg Minikel <gminikel@manitowoc.org> wrote:

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> Hi Tim,

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> Due to a complaint about cars racing on westbound Franklin St. at S. 21st St. and also due to the oversized loads that use Franklin St., we have been looking into the existing parking ordinances on Franklin St. from S. 20th to S. 26th St. We noted that there are a lot of discrepancies between the existing signs and the existing ordinances.

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> We noted that there is an existing ordinance that prohibits parking on the south side of Franklin St. to the west of S. 22nd St. and the no parking area is directly across from your overhead garage door.

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> There are 2 existing signs out there designating the no parking zone, but they are both faded (see photo) and there was a pick-up truck parked in the no parking area on the day that I was there.

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> My question to you is whether or not Maritime Plumbing needs to have this no parking area remain on the south side of Franklin St. for your garage door/loading dock or if you would prefer that we repeal the ordinance and allow parking in this area.

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> Please let me know your preference as soon as possible. Thanks.

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