

MEETING MINUTES  
OF THE  
TRAFFIC AND PARKING COMMISSION  
MAY 11, 2020

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The regular monthly meeting of the Traffic and Parking Commission was held at 3:00 p.m., on Monday, May 11, 2020 via WebEx.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman John Green mentioned ordinance No. BL2006-1050 regarding the appeals process of the Traffic and Parking Commission.

*"If you are not satisfied with a decision made by the Traffic & Parking Commission, you may appeal the decision by filing for a writ of certiorari with the Davidson County Chancery or Circuit Court. Your appeal must be filed within 60 days of the date of the entry of the Commission's decision. We advise that you seek your own independent legal advice to ensure that your appeal is filed in a timely manner and that all procedural requirements have been met."*

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Commissioner Williams moved to approve the agenda and Commissioner Kern seconded the motion. All in favor, **no opposition**.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Commissioner Brown moved for **approval** of the March 9, 2020 minutes and Officer Gilliland seconded. **Approved with no opposition**.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Consent agenda 20-05 was presented and a motion was made by Council Member O'Connell made a motion to remove items (h) and (l) and seconded by Commissioner Kern to remove items (h) and (l) from the consent agenda. Commissioner Robbins made a motion to remove item (j) and Commissioner Brown seconded the motion. All in favor, no opposition. The consent agenda was presented again was **approved with no opposition**.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

**Resolution 20-05**

**Parking Regulations**

- a) **CD21:** Authorize removal of valet zone at 1703 Church St.; requested by Metro Public Works
- b) **CD19:** Authorize removal of valet zone at 1120 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. North.; requested by Metro Public Works
- c) **CD19:** Authorize removal of valet zone at 1200 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. North.; requested by Metro Public Works
- d) **CD19:** Authorize removal of loading zone at 311 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. South.; requested by Metro Public Works
- e) **CD21:** Authorize removal of loading zone at 321 McMillan St.; requested by Metro Public Works
- f) **CD17:** Authorize removal of loading zone at 438 Houston St.; requested by Metro Public Works
- g) **CD19:** Authorize removal of loading zone at 301 Demonbreun.; requested by Metro Public Works
- h) **CD24:** Authorize No Parking on 42<sup>nd</sup> Ave. N from Charlotte to Alabama Ave.; requested by Ragan Smith Assoc

*Motion was made by CM O'Connell and seconded by Commissioner Woods to defer this item one meeting. All in favor with no opposition*

- i) **CD19:** Authorize No Parking on east side of 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. S from Chet Atkins Place to 250' N; req by Burch Transportation

## **Traffic Regulations**

- j) **CD24:** Modify speed limit from 35 mph to 20 mph on Murphy Rd./46<sup>th</sup> Ave. at the following locations: requested by CM Murphy  
46<sup>th</sup> Ave. N. from Murphy Rd. to Nebraska Ave.  
Murphy Rd. from 43<sup>rd</sup> Ave. N. to 46<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.

*After discussion, motion was made by Commissioner Robbins and seconded by Commissioner Woods to approve this item. All in favor, no opposition.*

- k) **CD various:** Modify speed limit from 40 mph to 35mph on Charlotte Ave. from 51<sup>st</sup> Ave. to 31<sup>st</sup> Ave.; requested by Metro Public Works Bikeways

- l) **CD24:** Authorize all way stop at 42<sup>nd</sup> Ave. N and Alabama Ave.; requested by Ragan Smith Associates

*Motion was made by CM O'Connell and seconded by Commissioner Woods to defer this item one meeting. All in favor with no opposition*

## **DEFERRED BUSINESS**

1. CD21: Authorize a valet zone for the Graduate Hotel on 20<sup>th</sup> Avenue North; requested by Premier Parking

*Motion was made by Commissioner Woods and seconded by Commissioner Kern to defer. All in favor, no opposition.*

2. CD19: Appeal for re-evaluation of existing one-hour parking time limit on the south side of Harrison St. between 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. N and Criddle St.; requested by resident.

*Motion was made by Council Member O'Connell and seconded by Commissioner Woods to defer. All in favor, no opposition.*

3. CD18: Request to authorize a designated space for a pickup station for RTA. This request requires signage on 5 metered spots on the south side of West End at 21<sup>st</sup> Ave. S. to show no parking from 3:00 p.m. to 6 p.m.; requested by Vanderbilt University

*Motion was made by Council Member O'Connell and seconded by Commissioner Brown to approve. All in favor, no opposition.*

Traffic and Parking Commission Resolution No. 20-01 authorized by Chapter 9  
Of the Charter of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson  
County, Tennessee as amended

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Traffic and Parking Commission of the Metropolitan  
Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee as follows:

SECTION I: That Chapter 12 of said Metropolitan Code, said Chapter being  
entitled 'Vehicles and Traffic' is amended as follows:

SECTION II. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution be published in a daily newspaper in  
Metropolitan Nashville/Davidson County, Tennessee, and that a certified copy be filed with the Chief of Police  
of the Metropolitan Police Department, and that a certified copy be filed with the Metropolitan clerk, and that  
said Resolution take effect five (5) days thereafter.

APPROVED: May 11, 2020

EFFECTIVE: May 11, 2020

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**The above-mentioned Resolution items were previously approved under the Consent Agenda.**

### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Officer Williams moved to **adjourn**, seconded by Commissioner Woods  
and **approved by voice vote with no opposition**. The meeting adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

Approved on the 11th day of May 2020.

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Department of Public Works

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Chairperson Traffic and Parking Commission