

To: Stan Rickard, Public Works Director

From: John Johnson, Technical Services Supervisor *JJ*

Date: March 20, 2001

Subject: Removal of "No U-Turn" Signs at Various Intersections along Main St.

At the March 5, 2001 Transportation and Safety Committee meeting, staff was directed to review the need for "No U-Turn" signage on Main St. south of Roosevelt. This signage was installed on Main St. and Highland Ave. pursuant to the 1986 Comprehensive Transportation Study performed by Metro Transportation Group. Since Highland was included in the study, I took it upon myself to review that signage also. The following intersections were investigated and have adequate sight distance to safely perform a "U-Turn".

Direction	Street	Cross Street
SB	Main St.	Rebecca Rd.
NB & SB	Main St.	13 th Pl.
NB & SB	Main St.	14 th St.
NB & SB	Main St.	14 th Pl.
NB & SB	Main St.	Entrance to Westlake School
SB	Main St.	15 th St.
NB	Main St.	20 th St.

Direction	Street	Cross Street
SB	Highland Ave.	13 th St.
NB & SB	Highland Ave.	13 th Pl.
NB	Highland Ave.	14 th St.
NB & SB	Highland Ave.	14 th Pl.
NB & SB	Highland Ave.	15 th St.
NB & SB	Highland Ave.	15 th Pl.
NB	Highland Ave.	17 th St.
SB	Highland Ave.	Highland Hills Rec. Center
NB & SB	Highland Ave.	Eastgate

Based on the above information, I would recommend removal of "No U-Turn" signs at the above intersections. I would not recommend removal of the "No U-Turn" signs for southbound Main St. at 18th St. and north and southbound Highland Ave. at 20th St. due to limited sight distance and higher prevailing speeds.

cc: Richard Tross, Trustee - District 2
David Shaffer, Trustee - District 3
Transportation and Safety Committee

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE TRAFFIC CODE

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Lombard have heretofore passed Ordinance 1186 regulating the traffic within the Village of Lombard; and

WHEREAS, Section 10-8-5 specifically prohibits U-Turns throughout the entire Village of Lombard; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Lombard has secured the services of a Traffic Consultant to review and recommend signage and traffic code amendments throughout the Village of Lombard; and

WHEREAS, Metro Transportation Group Inc. has recommended that U-Turns be allowed within the Village of Lombard except at certain designated locations; and

WHEREAS, State's Statutes allow a municipality to ban U-Turns.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD, DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS as follows:

Section 1: That Section 10-8-5 of the Lombard Municipal Code be amended to read as follows:

U-Turns. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to make a U-Turn as defined herein upon any public street or alley, providing such public street or alley has signs posted prohibiting U-Turns.

Section 2: That Schedule XX be added to read as follows:

U-Turn Prohibitions.

- Main Street north and southbound at 13th Place
- Main Street north and southbound at 14th Street
- Main Street north and southbound at 14th Place
- Main Street north and southbound at Manor Hill School
- Main Street north and southbound at 17th Street
- Highland Avenue north and southbound at 13th Place
- Highland Avenue north and southbound at 14 Place
- Highland Avenue north and southbound at 15th Street
- Highland Avenue north and southbound at 15th Place
- Highland Avenue north and southbound at Eastgate
- Highland Avenue north and southbound at 20th Street
- Main Street southbound at Rebecca
- Main Street southbound at Four Seasons Park Entrance
- Main Street northbound at 20th Street
- Highland Avenue southbound at 13th Street
- Highland Avenue northbound at 14th Street
- Highland Avenue northbound at 17th Street
- Highland Avenue southbound at Highland Hills Recreation Center Entrance

Section 3: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after passage and approval as provided by law.

Passed on first reading this _____ day of _____, 1986.

First reading waived by action of the Board of Trustees this 26th day of June, 1986.


Passed on second reading this 26th day of June, 1986.

Ayes: MANNA, O'NEILL, VAZQUEZ, VANDENEEDEN, FRANCIS, DAVIS

Nays: NONE

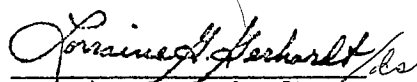
Absent: _____

Approved this 26th day of June, 1986.




Richard C. Arnold
Village President

ATTEST:



Lorraine E. Gerhardt
Village Clerk

APPROVAL AS TO FORM:



Rita Elsner
Village Attorney

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laborers, mechanics and other workmen employed pursuant to contractors doing public works projects in the Village of Lombard, seconded by Trustee Vazquez. Upon roll call:

Ayes: Vazquez, VanDenEeden, Francis, Manna & O'Neill
Nays: Davis

Motion Carried

ADOPT #2856--AMENDING RATES OF PAY

17. Trustee Manna moved suspension of the rules, waiver of first reading, and passage on second and final reading of Ordinance #2856, an ordinance amending Ordinance #2847, setting rates of pay for Village employees, seconded by Trustee O'Neill. Upon roll call:

Ayes: Vazquez, VanDenEeden, Francis, Davis, Manna & O'Neill
Nays: None

Motion Carried

ADOPT #2857--TRAFFIC CODE AMENDMENT--U-TURNS

18. Trustee VanDenEeden moved suspension of the rules, waiver of first reading and passage on second reading and final passage of Ordinance #2857, an ordinance amending the Traffic Code regarding u-turns in the Village of Lombard, seconded by Trustee Manna. Upon roll call:

Ayes: Vazquez, VanDenEeden, Francis, Davis, Manna & O'Neill
Nays: None

Motion Carried

FIRST READING--BUDGET TRANSFER ORDINANCE--SALARY INCREASES

19. It was moved by Trustee Francis that the Lombard Village Board pass on first reading a budget transfer ordinance regarding salary increases, seconded by Trustee Davis. Upon roll call:

Ayes: Vazquez, VanDenEeden, Francis, Davis, Manna & O'Neill
Nays: None

Motion Carried

ADOPT #2858--ESTABLISHING FEES

20. Trustee VanDenEeden moved suspension of the rules, waiver of first reading, and passage on second and final reading of Ordinance #2858, establishing fees for review and inspection of utilities and/or streets not related to other projects, seconded by Trustee Francis. Upon roll call:

Ayes: Vazquez, VanDenEeden, Francis, Davis, Manna & O'Neill
Nays: None

Motion Carried