



Chairperson and Transportation and Safety Committee

From: Frank Kalisik, Civil Engineer *FK*
 Through: Carl S. Goldsmith, Director of Public Works *CJ*
 Date: January 28, 2009
 Subject: Parking Restriction Removal request on Michael McGuire Drive Update

Three parking stalls, located on the north side of Michael McGuire Drive, currently limit parking to 10-minutes and require a valid Municipal Parking Permit between 5:00 am and 3:00 pm Monday through Friday, with free parking after 3:00 pm and all day Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays. Further investigation of these parking locations, which consisted of visually inspecting the site on several days and at various times, reveals minimal usage (see attached). It appears afternoon drivers do queue in this general area to pick up commuters, but do not utilize the provided locations. This is likely due to the distance between the station platform and the parking locations, as well as the need for a Municipal Parking Permit.

To enhance usage for commuters, as well as provide additional after-hour downtown parking availability, removal of the Municipal Parking Permit requirement and incorporating a 10-minute limit restriction to between 5:00 am and 6:00 pm Monday through Friday, are recommended as follows:

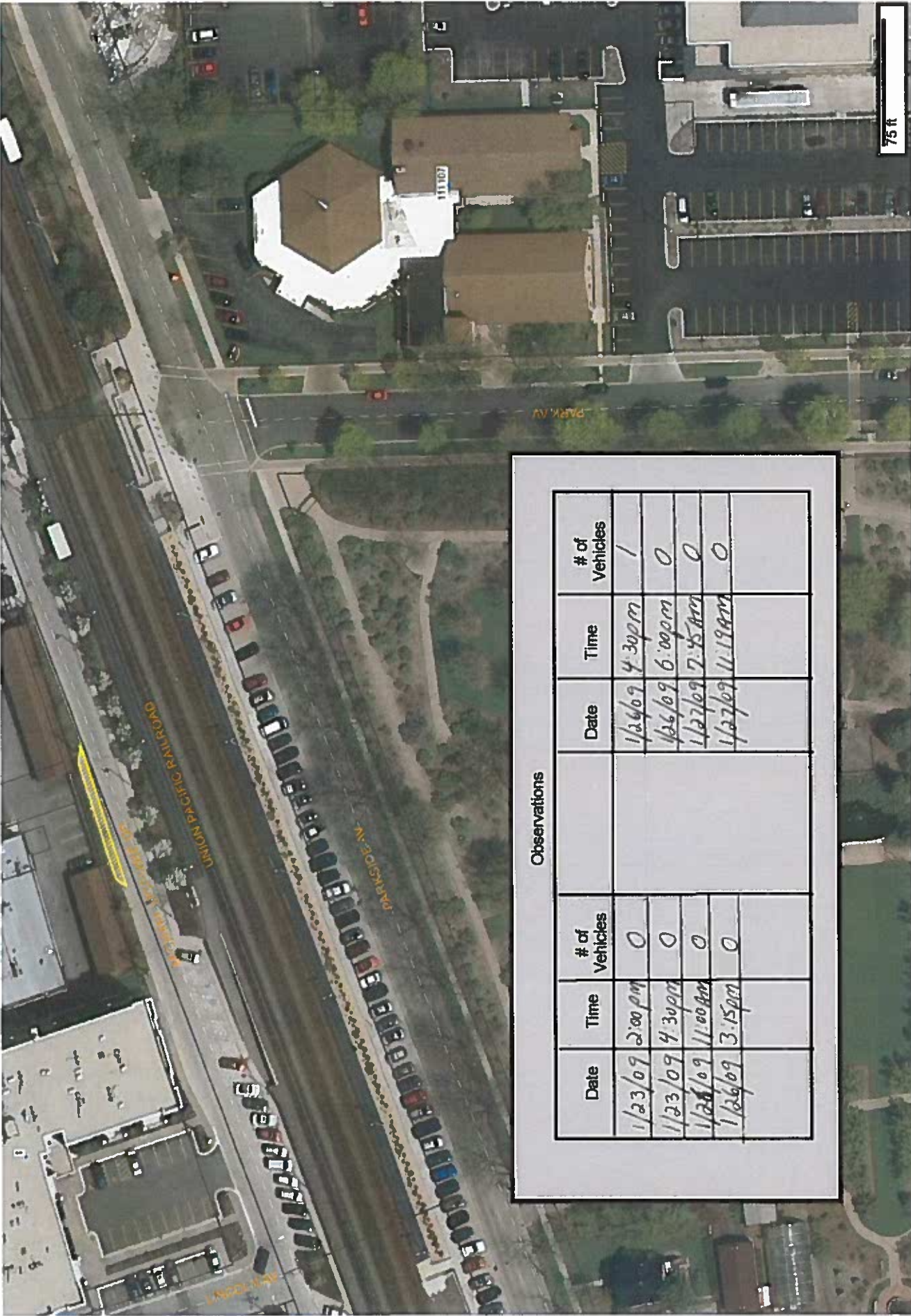
SCHEDULE X – PARKING TIME LIMITED ON CERTAIN STREETS		
(s) In accordance with Section 10-13-10 and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle for a period of time exceeding ten (10) minutes, from 5:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, with the exception of holidays in any of the following places:		
Name of Street	From	To
Michael McGuire Drive, North curb	245 ft east of Lincoln Avenue eastern curb line	320 ft east of Lincoln Avenue eastern curb line.

SCHEDULE XII – (a) PERMIT PARKING ZONES
In accordance with Section 10-13-22, municipal parking permits may be issued authorizing the parking of private vehicle in the municipally owned or lease properties as follows.
Delete: St. Charles Road Commuter Lot and Park/Elizabeth Commuter Lot.
Add: St. Charles Road Commuter Lot and Park/Michael McGuire Drive (south side) Commuter Lot.

This item will be on the February 2, 2009 Transportation and Safety Committee agenda. The meeting is held at the Village Hall in the Community Room at 7:00 PM. This is a public meeting and public participation is encouraged.

cc: Greg Gron, Trustee, District 1

McGuire Drive Parking Stall Utilization



Observations

Date	Time	# of Vehicles	Date	Time	# of Vehicles
1/23/09	2:00 PM	0	1/26/09	4:30 PM	1
1/23/09	4:30 PM	0	1/26/09	6:00 PM	0
1/26/09	11:00 AM	0	1/27/09	7:45 AM	0
1/26/09	3:15 PM	0	1/27/09	11:19 AM	0