



To: Chairperson and Transportation and Safety Committee
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Through: Carl S. Goldsmith, Director of Public Works *gj*
Date: December 20, 2010
Subject: Olde Towne East Parking Restriction Modifications

Modify Existing Parking Limitations in the Olde Towne East Neighborhood

On-street parking within the Olde Towne East neighborhood is either limited to one (1) hour between 7 am and 10 am due to the close proximity to the Metra Train Station, or is prohibited anytime. The attached map demonstrates these current parking restrictions, along with two (2) restricted parking locations that are no longer necessary and are being presented for your consideration to modify.

Specifically, the No Parking Zone on the east side of Charlotte Street between St. Charles Road and Grove Street is listed in the Traffic Code as both No Parking anytime and one (1) hour parking between 7 am and 10 am. To correct this discrepancy, one of the parking restrictions must be removed. Since there is no known reason to restrict parking after 10 am at this location, elimination of the No Parking at anytime restriction is recommended. Also, the No Parking zones on both sides of Windsor Avenue between Martha Street and Craig Place were enacted to regulate vehicles specifically attributed to Allied Drywall from congesting traffic and idling during early morning hours. Recently, the road was widened, the specified business is no longer operating, and two (2) local residents have requested removal of the existing parking restrictions. Therefore, it is recommended to modify the existing parking restriction at this location to be consistent with the one (1) hour parking limitation as instituted throughout the remainder of the neighborhood.

Should the Transportation and Safety Committee concur with this information, a recommendation to modify the Traffic Code would be as follows:

SCHEDULE VII – PARKING PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS

In accordance with Section 10-13-6 and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall, at any time, park a vehicle upon any of the following streets or parts of streets:

Name of Street	From	To
Delete: Charlotte St., East Side	A point 135 ft. north of the north right-of-way of St. Charles Road	Grove St.
Delete: Windsor Ave., Both sides	West curb line of Craig Place	East curb line of Martha St.

AND:

SCHEDULE X – PARKING TIME LIMITED ON CERTAIN STREETS

(a) 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 one hour between the hours of 7:00 am and 10:00 am on any day except on Sundays or holidays in any of the following places:

Name of Street	From	To
Add: Windsor Ave. Both Sides	West curb line of Craig Place	East curb line of Martha St.

cc: Dana Moreau, Trustee, District 4

