

City of Grand Island

Tuesday, August 12, 2008 Council Session

Item G12

#2008-207 - Approving Designating No Parking Zone on the West Side of Greenwich Street from Second Street to the Alley One Half Block North

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, City Engineer/Public Works Direc

City of Grand Island City Council

Council Agenda Memo

From: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Meeting: August 12, 2008

Subject: Approving Designating No Parking Zone on the West

Side of Greenwich Street from Second Street to the Alley

One Half Block Block North

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Presenter(s): Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Background

Council action is require to designate No Parking on any public street. The Nebraska Department of Roads (NDOR) is working with the City of Grand Island Public Works Department on a joint project to widen US Highway 30 (2nd Street) from a 4-lane to a 5-lane roadway. The existing road is 50' wide and the roadway will be 64' wide.

Discussion

The second phase of this project is scheduled to begin mid to late August. Traffic will be directed to the new lanes of US Highway 30 along the south side.

At the start of the second phase, westbound traffic on 2^{nd} Street will turn north on Greenwich Street to the detour on 3^{rd} Street. This is being done so that the water main work can occur on the north side of Second Street at Clark Street. It will take about two weeks to complete the water main work, then westbound 2^{nd} Street traffic will again be detoured north at Clark Street.

Alternatives

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

- 1. Move to approve
- 2. Refer the issue to a Committee
- 3. Postpone the issue to future date

4. Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the No Parking Zone on the west side of Greenwich Street from Second Street to the alley one half block north.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the No Parking Zone.



RESOLUTION 2008-207

WHEREAS, the City Council, by authority of §22-77 of the Grand Island City Code, may by resolution, entirely prohibit, or fix a time limit for the parking and stopping of vehicles in or on any public street, public property, or portion thereof; and

WHEREAS, due to the second phase of the US Highway 30 (2nd Street) widening project and water main work associated with the project the Public Work Department is requesting that No Parking be allowed on the west side of Greenwich Street from Second Street to the alley one half block north; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that such restricted parking request be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that:

- 1. A No Parking Zone is hereby designated on the west side of Greenwich Street from Second Street to the alley one half block north.
- 2. The City's Street Division shall erect and maintain the signs necessary to effect the above regulation.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, August 12, 2008.

	Margaret Hornady, Mayor
Attest:	
Paul Briseno, Deputy City Clerk	