

**CITY OF ALEXANDRIA
TRAFFIC AND PARKING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2010 7:30 P.M.
301 KING STREET, 2nd FLOOR
COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

MINUTES

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman, Jay Johnson, Amy Slack, Kevin Posey, Gregory Cota, Anthony Norwood

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT; Larry Ruggiero, E. Jon Sargeant

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Bob Garbacz, Division Chief, Transportation; Ravi Raut, Transportation Studies Engineer, Transportation; Andrea Wilkinson, Principal Transportation Planner, Transportation; Leroy Baker, Traffic Survey Technician, Transportation

1. Announcement of deferrals and withdrawals.
2. Approval of the minutes from the September 27, 2010, Traffic and Parking Board meeting. Mr. Cota made a motion, seconded by Mr. Norwood to approve the minutes from the September 27, 2010, Traffic and Parking Board meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

3. STAFF REPORTS AND UPDATES:

Yon Lambert Deputy Director/Operations, Transportation & Environmental Service gave a staff update on proposed changes to the procedure for determining when taxicab surcharges should be levied and lifted during snow emergencies.

PUBLIC HEARING:

4. **ISSUE:** Consideration of a request to remove parking on both sides of the 2600 block of Foster Avenue and the east side of the 5100 block of Fairbanks Avenue between Seminary Road and the northern property line of 5118 Fairbanks Avenue.

BOARD ACTION: Mr. John Kenny and Mr. Peter Benavage spoke in favor of the request. Mr. Posey made a motion, seconded by Mr. Norwood to approve the staff recommendation of removing parking on the east side of Fairbanks Avenue between Seminary Road and the entrance to the traffic circle at 5000 Fairbanks Avenue and the removal of parking on the south side of the 2600 block of Foster Avenue and around the cul-de-sac on the eastern end of the block. The motion carried unanimously.

5. **ISSUE:** Consideration of a request to remove the loading zone and implement 2 hour parking 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday through Saturday on the west side of the 100 block of North Fayette Street from King Street to 90' north and on the east side of the block for the 40' in front of 107 N Fayette St.

BOARD ACTION: Ms. Danielle Romanetti of Fibre Space spoke in favor of the request. Mr. Scott Rodgerson, Ms. Lesley Powers, Mr. Robert Webster and Mr. Uz Tromba spoke against the request. Mr. Posey made a motion to defer the request until January 2011 and have staff work with the residents to see if residential permit parking is preferable. Mt. Cota seconded the motion. The motion carried with a 4 to 1 vote. Ms. Slack voted in opposition to the motion.

6. **ISSUE:** Consideration of a request to replace two unrestricted parking spaces with handicapped parking spaces in front of Meade Memorial Episcopal Church 322 North Alfred Street. The first space will be reserved handicapped parking from 8:30 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Sundays, and the second space will be reserved handicapped all times.

BOARD ACTION: Rev. Asonye Cillins of Meade Memorial Church spoke in favor of the request. Mr. David Aaron spoke against the request. Ms. Slack made a motion, seconded by the Mr. Posey to deny the request. The motion carried unanimously.

7. **ISSUE:** Consideration of a request to install a two space Loading Zone at 3015 Mount Vernon Avenue from 8:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Monday through Friday.

BOARD ACTION: Andrea Wilkinson, Principal Transportation Planner, Transportation spoke in favor of the request. Mr. Norwood made a motion, seconded by Ms. Slack to approve the request. The motion carried unanimously.

8. **ISSUE:** Consideration of a request to implement 2 hour parking restrictions from 10:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. Monday through Saturday for 850' in front of 3051 Mount Vernon Avenue.

BOARD ACTION: Andrea Wilkinson, Principal Transportation Planner, Transportation spoke in favor of the request. Mr. Cota made a motion, seconded by Mr. Norwood to approve the request. The motion carried unanimously.

NOTE: The City of Alexandria complies with the terms of ADA. An individual with a disability who wishes to request an accommodation may contact the Department of Transportation and Environmental Services at 703-838-4411 or TTY/TTD 703-838-5056. Please provide at least 7 calendar days advance notice. Amplified sound devices are available from the sound technician in the City Council Chambers.

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