

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING
SEPTEMBER 1, 2009 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
Parking Modifications - Springside Avenue, North of 63 rd Street	✓ Resolution Ordinance Motion Discussion Only	Naneil Newlon, P.E. Director of Public Works

SYNOPSIS

An ordinance has been prepared to amend sections of the Municipal Code to designate a portion of Springside Avenue, from 63rd Street to the Village's unincorporated border to the north, as "No Parking Any Time."

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The Five Year Plan and Goals for 2009-2013 identified *Exceptional Municipal Organization*. A supporting objective of this goal is *Top Quality Village Infrastructure and Facilities*.

FISCAL IMPACT

N/A

UPDATE & RECOMMENDATION

This item was discussed at the August 25, 2009 workshop. Staff recommends approval on the September 1, 2009 active agenda.

BACKGROUND

Staff received a petition from residents regarding parking on both sides of Springside Avenue from 63rd Street to the Village's unincorporated border approximately 650 feet to the north. There are currently no parking restrictions on this section of roadway, which was recently annexed by the Village. The roadway is approximately 18 feet wide with gravel shoulders and ditches. Due to the fact Springside Avenue is located in close proximity to Downers Grove South High School, during the school year students were parking on both sides of the street, which resulted in a very narrow, almost impassable roadway, and the blocking of several driveways.

This item was presented and discussed at the Transportation and Parking Commission meeting on July 8, 2009. To serve the neighborhood's needs and also to promote safe north-south travel through the area, staff recommended that both sides of Springside Avenue, from 63rd Street to the Village boundaries to the north be designated and signed as "No Parking Any Time." There was support from the public for this proposed action. The Commission voted unanimously in support of staff's recommendation.

ATTACHMENTS

Ordinance

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
COUNCIL ACTION SUMMARY

INITIATED: Village Attorney **DATE:** September 1, 2009
(Name)

RECOMMENDATION FROM: Transportation and Parking Commission **FILE REF:** _____
(Board or Department)

NATURE OF ACTION:

STEPS NEEDED TO IMPLEMENT ACTION:

- Ordinance
- Resolution
- Motion
- Other

Motion to Adopt “AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PARKING RESTRICTIONS ON SPRINGSIDE AVENUE”, as presented.

SUMMARY OF ITEM:

Adoption of the attached ordinance shall amend parking provisions on a portion of Springside Avenue.

RECORD OF ACTION TAKEN:

Springside Parking

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PARKING RESTRICTIONS ON SPRINGSIDE AVENUE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Village Council of the Village of Downers Grove in DuPage County, Illinois, as follows: (Additions are indicated by **shading/underline**; deletions by ~~strikeout~~):

Section 1. That Section 14.98 is hereby amended to read as follows:

14.98 No parking zones-Generally.

No person shall park or let stand, any automobile, motor vehicle or other vehicle at any time in any of the following locations:

* * *

Springside Avenue, between 63rd Street and a point six hundred fifty (650) feet north of 63rd Street,

* * *

Section 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the manner provided by law.

Mayor

Passed:
Published:
Attest: _____
Village Clerk

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