

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 17, 2009 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
Parking Modifications: Claremont Drive, at Blackburn Avenue and Osage Avenue	✓ 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 regarding parking restrictions on both sides of Claremont Drive, at Blackburn Avenue and Osage Avenue.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The Five Year Plan and Goals for 2008-2013 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 November 10, 2009 workshop. Staff recommends approval on the November 17, 2009 active agenda.

BACKGROUND

Construction of traffic calming devices on Claremont Drive was recently completed. With the construction of these permanent traffic calming devices, Claremont Drive was narrowed at several locations.

Due to the new configuration of the roadway, on September 11, 2009, the Village Manager authorized temporary parking restrictions at designated locations along Claremont Drive. Staff placed temporary signs at these locations which would become permanent should the Village Council approve this item. The locations where permanent parking restrictions are proposed include:

- *Claremont Drive*, on both sides from Blackburn Avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet west of Blackburn Avenue.
- *Claremont Drive*, on both sides, from Fairview Avenue to Osage Avenue.
- *Claremont Drive*, on both sides from Osage Avenue to a point sixty (60) feet west of Osage Avenue.

These parking restriction signs are proposed at the locations where Claremont Drive was narrowed by the installation of traffic calming devices (medians), and there is a lack of physical space in which to park without blocking the entire travel lane. The remainder of Claremont Drive is not restricted, and neighbors can still easily park their vehicles on-street in other sections. The TaP unanimously approved staff's recommendation at their October 14, 2009 meeting.

ATTACHMENT

Ordinance

**VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
COUNCIL ACTION SUMMARY**

INITIATED: Public Works **DATE:** November 17, 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 CLAREMONT DRIVE”, as presented.

SUMMARY OF ITEM:

Adoption of the attached ordinance shall amend parking provisions on portions of Claremont Drive.

RECORD OF ACTION TAKEN:

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PARKING RESTRICTIONS
ON CLAREMONT DRIVE**

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:

* * *

Claremont Drive, on both sides from Blackburn Avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet west of Blackburn Avenue.

Claremont Drive, on both sides, from Fairview Avenue to Osage Avenue.

Claremont Drive, on both sides from Osage Avenue to a point sixty (60) feet west of Osage Avenue.

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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