

City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201



Agenda Item Number: B 53-15

Department Source: Public Works

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: 3/2/2015

Re: Prohibit Parking on a Portion of Worley Street near Park De Ville Drive

Documents Included With This Agenda Item

Council Memo, Resolution/Ordinance

Supporting documentation includes: Map

Executive Summary

Amending Chapter 14 of the City Code to extend the prohibition of parking on a portion of Worley Street near Park De Ville Drive.

Discussion

In January of 2015 staff was informed of a parking issue developing on Worley Street, just east of Park De Ville Drive, with regards to vehicles parking at or near the "No Parking" signs, creating a safety issue for motorists. A "No Parking" area currently exists approximately 150 feet west of Park De Ville Drive to 100 feet east of Park De Ville Drive. When vehicles park at or near the "No Parking" signs on Worley Street, oncoming traffic would be required to navigate around the parked vehicle(s), then quickly navigate to the inside of the median island. Sometimes vehicles will cross into the opposing lane of traffic to complete this maneuver.

The pavement on Worley Street is 35 feet wide, which would typically allow parking along both sides of the street when vehicles are spaced out. However, vehicles are parking on both the north and south sides of the street, impeding traffic in a very compact area. To alleviate this issue, staff recommends the parking prohibition be extended 25 feet to the east, on both the north and south sides of Worley Street, which will allow for better traffic flow in this area.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: \$300 from the Street Maintenance budget for materials, equipment, and labor

Long-Term Impact: \$80 for maintaining area.

Vision, Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Vision Impact: Transportation

Strategic Plan Impact: Infrastructure

Comprehensive Plan Impact: Infrastructure

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Suggested Council Action

If Council concurs with staff's recommendation, pass the ordinance amending Section 14-324 of the City Code to prohibit parking an additional 25 feet to the east on both the north and south sides of Worley Street near Park De Ville Drive.

Legislative History

None

Department Approved

City Manager Approved

Introduced by _____

First Reading _____

Second Reading _____

Ordinance No. _____

Council Bill No. B 53-15

AN ORDINANCE

amending Chapter 14 of the City Code to prohibit parking on a portion of both sides of Worley Street near Park De Ville Drive; and fixing the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, Missouri, is hereby amended as follows:

Material to be deleted in ~~strikeout~~; material to be added underlined.

Sec. 14-324. Parking prohibited.

When signs are placed, erected or installed in each block, giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle upon any of the streets or places hereinafter set forth:

...

Worley Street, both sides, from two hundred (200) feet west of Garth Avenue to two hundred (200) feet east of Garth Avenue.

Worley Street, both sides, from one hundred fifty (150) feet west of Park De Ville Drive to one hundred twenty-five (125) feet east of Park De Ville Drive.

Worley Street, both sides, from two hundred (200) feet west of West Boulevard to two hundred (200) feet east of West Boulevard.

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SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED this _____ day of _____, 2015.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Counselor



SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS INCLUDED WITH THIS AGENDA ITEM ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Map

