



City of Arts & Innovation

Transportation Board

TO: TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DATE: OCTOBER 7, 2015

FROM: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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SUBJECT: WOOD STREETS – REVISION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF PREFERENTIAL PARKING ZONES AND REMOVAL OF 1-HOUR PARKING ZONE

ISSUE:

The issues for Transportation Board consideration are: 1) modifications to the Preferential Parking Zones (PPZ's) on designated streets within the Wood Streets neighborhoods; 2) to remove the existing 1-Hour Parking Zone on both sides of Bandini Avenue from Olivewood Avenue to Osburn Place; and 3) establishment of new PPZ's on Bandini Avenue, Riverside Avenue, Elmwood Drive, and Ramona Drive.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Transportation Board recommend that the City Council approve:

1. Modifying the durations of the existing PPZ's within the Wood Streets neighborhoods to establish "No Parking between the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Monday through Friday except holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents" per the following table:

Street	Segment	Location	Existing PPZ
Riverside Ave	Ramona Dr to Beechwood Pl	Both Sides	"No Parking Any Time, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents"
Beechwood Pl	Magnolia Ave to Ramona Dr	Both Sides	"1-Hour Parking between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. except Sundays and holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents"
Elmwood Ct	Olivewood Ave to Elmwood Dr	Both Sides	
Elmwood Dr	Elmwood Ct to Riverside Ave	Both Sides	
Larchwood Pl	Magnolia Ave to 700 feet westerly	Both Sides	
Riverside Ave	Beechwood Pl to Elmwood Dr	Both Sides	
Riverside Ave	Elmwood Dr to Bandini Ave	East Side	

Chapman Pl	Brockton Ave to Magnolia Ave	Both Sides	"No Parking between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday"
Ramona Dr	Brockton Ave to Magnolia Ave	South Side	"No Parking between the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. except holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents"
Castle Reagh Pl	Magnolia Ave to Ramona Dr	Both Sides	"No Parking between the hours of 6:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. except Saturday, Sunday and holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents"
Larchwood Pl	Magnolia Ave to Ramona Dr	Both Sides	
Ramona Dr	North of Castle Reagh Pl northerly to south of the cul-de-sac terminus	Both Sides	
Ramona Dr	Castle Reagh Pl to Beechwood Pl	West Side	

2. Removal of the existing "1-Hour Parking between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. of any day except Sunday and holidays" Zone on both sides of Bandini Avenue from Olivewood Avenue to Osburn Place; and
3. Establish "No Parking between the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Monday through Friday except holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents" Zones on the following street segments:
 - a. The west side of Riverside Avenue from Elmwood Drive to Bandini Avenue;
 - b. Both sides of Elmwood Drive from Riverside Avenue to the easterly terminus;
 - c. Both sides of Bandini Avenue from Riverside Avenue to Olivewood Avenue; and
 - d. The east side of Ramona Drive from Castle Reagh Place to Beechwood Place

BACKGROUND:

The Public Works Department received a request from area residents to revise the various durations of the existing PPZ's within the Wood Streets neighborhoods to create improved consistency throughout the area and establish new PPZ's on portions of Bandini Avenue, Riverside Avenue, Elmwood Drive and Ramona Drive. The proposed new duration would restrict parking without permit between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday except holidays on fourteen street segments within the Wood Streets neighborhoods, limiting the restriction to peak days and times when overflow student parking generated by Riverside City College (RCC) typically occurs.

The proposed changes to the duration of the existing PPZ's would make all PPZ restrictions within the area the same with the exception of the two zones on the south side of Ramona and City College Drives directly across the street from RCC which would retain their existing No Parking Any Time except Saturday, Sunday and holidays duration due to their very close proximity to the campus. Revising the PPZ's will provide greater consistency in the posted

parking restrictions throughout these neighborhoods, better serve the residents by focusing the restrictions on peak student parking days and hours, reduce confusion for motorists parking in the area, and allow for improved enforcement of the restrictions. Additionally, the proposed expansion of the PPZ's would establish new restrictions on portions of Bandini Avenue, Riverside Avenue, Elmwood Drive, and Ramona Drive which are now experiencing overflow RCC student parking and the resulting impacts to the availability of on-street parking for residents and their guests. These new zones would be subject to the same PPZ rules in place for the existing Wood Streets zones located to the north.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost of sign removal and installation and issuance of permits is nominal. Funding is available in the existing Public Works Department budget.

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Attachments:

4. Existing PPZ's Aerial Map
5. Proposed PPZ's Site Map
6. Proposed PPZ's Aerial Map