

TRAFFIC AUTHORITY MINUTES
OCTOBER, 2020

The Traffic Authority of the City of New Haven, duly warned, met in Chambers, One Union Avenue, New Haven, Connecticut on October, 13th, 2020.

PRESENT (via Zoom): Commissioners: Anthony Dawson, President, Isaias Miranda, Evelise Ribeiro, and Donald Walker.
Douglas Hausladen, Bruce Fischer, Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking.
Chief Otoniel Reyes, New Haven Police Department

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 PM, Commissioner Dawson presiding.

The minutes of the August 13th, 2020 meeting were approved as amended.

The following items were presented:

Item 1. Request of Evette Hamilton, Alder, Ward 24, for discussion of existing traffic controls at the intersections of east bound and westbound Edgewood Avenue at Ellsworth Avenue.

Douglas Hausladen presented the technical report and noted that major improvements were scheduled for Edgewood Avenue with the construction of the bicycle track. Alder Hamilton expressed concern with the number of crashes at the locations and indicated she would like to see improvement sooner rather than later. Douglas Hausladen suggested that the STOP signs could be replaced by new signs supplemented with flashing LED lights. It was agreed that these would be installed, and a report would be made to the Traffic Authority.

Item 2. Request Carmen Rodriguez, Alder, Ward 6, for establishing RESIDENTIAL PARKING regulation on both sides of Portsea Street from Howard Avenue to Loop Road Approval recommended.

Douglas Hausladen presented the technical report. Commissioner Ribeiro moved to approve the item. Commissioner Walker seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved by a unanimous vote.

Item 3. Request of Carmen Rodriguez, Alder, Ward 6, for establishing RESIDENTIAL PARKING regulation on both sides of Carlisle Street from Howard Avenue to Loop Road. Approval recommended.

Douglas Hausladen presented the technical report. Commissioner Walker moved to approve the item. Commissioner Ribeiro seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved by a unanimous vote.

Item 4. Request of the Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking for parking controls in areas less than one block in length as indicated below be approved.

A. Establish RESERVED FOR HANDICAPPED parking spaces.

- 1. In front of 54 Ann Street..... 1 space
- 2. In front of 240 Exchange Street..... 1 space
- 3. In front of 103 Kensington Street..... 1 space
- 4. In front of 259 Lloyd Street..... 1 space

B. Rescind RESERVED FOR HANDICAPPED parking spaces.

1. In front of 46 Fountain Street..... 1 space
2. In front of 28 Perkins Street..... 1 space
3. In front of 61 So. Water Street..... 1 space
4. In front of 273 West Hazel Street..... 1 space

Approval of A. and B. is recommended.

Douglas Hausladen presented the technical report. Commissioner Walker moved to approve the item. Commissioner Ribeiro seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved by a unanimous vote.

C. Rescind NO PARKING regulation.

1. On the west side of State Street, from Eld Street to 200 feet north of Eld Street, (200 feet.) Request of Abby Roth, Alder., Ward 7.

D. Establish NO PARKING SCHOOL DAYS regulation.

1. On the west side of State Street, from Eld Street to 200 feet north of Eld Street, 9AM-5PM. (200 feet.) Request of Abby Roth, Alder., Ward 7.
2. On the north side of Eld Street, from 160 feet west of State Street to 360 feet west of State Street, 3PM-5PM. (200 feet.) Request of Abby Roth, Alder., Ward 7.

Approval of C. and D. is recommended.

Douglas Hausladen presented the technical report. Commissioner Ribeiro moved to approve the item. Commissioner Walker seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved by a unanimous vote.

There being no further business of the Traffic Authority, the meeting was adjourned at 6:32 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Doug Hausladen
Traffic Engineer

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