COUNCIL COMMUNICATION				
CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	21-303	Meeting:	June 28, 2021
	Agenda Item:	52	Roll Call:	21-1020
	Submitted by:	Steven L. Naber, P.E., City Engineer		r

AGENDA HEADING:

Amending Chapter 114 of the Municipal Code regarding Traffic Regulation Changes as follows:

- A. Parking Restriction—Guthrie Avenue between E 28th Street and E 29th Street.
- B. Parking Restriction—E Broad Street/SE 9th Street between SE 8th Court and Indianola Avenue.
- C. Parking Restriction—Crocker Street from 5th Avenue to 7th Street.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the staff recommendation and the ordinance regarding the traffic regulation changes.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: Costs for sign installations and periodic maintenance of signs and markings.

<u>Funding Source</u>: Funding Source: 2021-2022 Operating Budget, Page 63, Engineering Department, T&T - Sign, Painting, Signal and Lighting, EG062080.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

• Staff received a petition from property owners on Guthrie Avenue requesting parking be restricted on the north side of Guthrie Avenue from E 28th Street to E 29th Street. The City's Parking Restriction Policy allows for the consideration of parking restrictions initiated by residents if a petition has been signed by 60% of the adjacent property owners. Eight (8) of the 11 property owners in this block, or 73%, signed this petition in favor of the proposed parking prohibition. On June 8, 2021, this item was presented to the Transportation Safety Committee. The committee voted in favor of the parking restriction. The following changes to the Municipal Code will place this restriction into effect.



Sec. 114-3286. Guthrie Avenue--East Fourteenth Street to East Thirty-second Street.

Guthrie Avenue, on the north side, from a point 50 feet west of East Twenty-ninth Street East Twenty-eighth Street to East Thirty-second Street, no parking any time.

A resident expressed concern about parked vehicles on E Broad Street/SE 9th Street between SE 8th Court and Indianola Avenue creating sight distance and maneuverability concerns within the curve. Parking is currently prohibited on the north/east side of E Broad Street/SE 9th Street between SE 8th Court and Indianola Avenue. A field review of E Broad Street/SE 9th Street was completed by Traffic and Transportation Division staff. Based on the posted speed limit of 25-mph, street width, and maneuverability through the curve, staff recommends removing parking on the south/west side of E Broad Street/SE 9th Street within the curve. The following revisions to the Municipal Code will place these changes into effect.



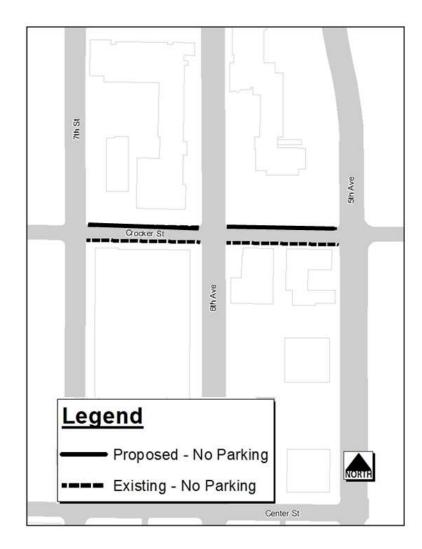
Sec. 114-2697. Southeast Ninth Street--East Market Street to East Kenyon Avenue.

Southeast Ninth Street, on the west side, from the west leg of East Broad Street to a point 50 feet south of the east leg of East Broad Street, no parking any time.

Sec. 114-3033. East Broad Street--South Union Street to Southeast Tenth Street.

East Broad Street, on the south side, from Southeast Ninth Street to a point 190 feet west thereof, no parking any time.

• As part of the 2020-2021 HMA Pavement Scarification and Resurfacing Project, Crocker Street from 5th Avenue to 7th Street was resurfaced. As part of the resurfacing, on-street parking was removed on the north side to restripe Crocker Street with bike lanes in either direction. This code modification is necessary to match the new street configuration.



Sec. 114-3128. - Crocker Street—Second Avenue to Sixth Avenue.

Crocker Street, on the north side, from Second Avenue to Fifth Avenue Sixth Avenue, no parking any time.

Sec. 114-3129. - Crocker Street—Sixth Avenue to Fourteenth Street.

Crocker Street, on the north side, from Sixth Avenue to <u>Seventh Street</u> a point 25 feet west thereof, no parking any time.

Crocker Street, on the north side, from Seventh Street to a point 115 feet east thereof, no parking any time.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S):

Board: Transportation Safety Committee

Date: June 8, 2021

Resolution Number: N/A

<u>Action</u>: Robin Witt made a motion to accept staff's recommendation to restrict parking on the north side of Guthrie Avenue between E 28th Street and E 29th Street; seconded by Tom DeSio. Motion passed 5:0.

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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