

CITY OF CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA



Agenda Date:	December 2, 2019
Action Required:	Resolution
Presenter:	Brennen Duncan, Traffic Engineer, NDS
Staff Contacts:	Brennen Duncan, Traffic Engineer, NDS
Title:	2019 Permit Parking Requests

Background

Every year per city code, permit parking requests are submitted to Neighborhood Development services. All requests submitted prior to February 28th are evaluated against the guidelines set forth in city code section 15-206.

Discussion

This year we received 1 application for Permit Parking from the neighborhoods. This was the block of 11th Street NW between Gordon Avenue and West Street. Parking Data was collected on three different days in May. This request met the threshold for percentage of commuter parking.

Budgetary Impact

Minimal for signs.

Recommendations

Traffic Engineering's recommendation is to accept the portion 11th Street NW, between Gordon Avenue and West Street, into the City's Permit Parking system.

Council Action

Approve the acceptance of 11th Street as a residential permit parking block.

Attachments

Memo to City Manager

Resolution

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MEMO

TO: Mike Murphy, Interim City Manager
CC: Alexander Ikefuna, NDS Director
Brennen Duncan, City Traffic Engineer
FROM: Jerry Allen II, Assistant Traffic Engineer
DATE: 4/29/2019
RE: **2019 PERMIT PARKING**

Residents of 11th St NW submitted petitions requesting their street be surveyed to determine if permit parking is warranted. Neighborhood Development Services has completed the survey of 11th St NW between West St and Gordon Ave.

Data was collected on four (4) separate weekdays per City code. City code requires that 75% of available on-street parking be occupied and that 50% of those spaces be occupied by commuters on at least (3) occasions. [See chart below]

Survey Data	% Commuter	% Occupied
Required	≥50	≥75
Wed 4/17/19	75	80
Mon 4/22/19	100	60
Tue 4/23/19	100	60
Wed 4/24/19	100	100
Average	93.75	75.00

Table 1. 11th St NW

The data collected shows that 11th St NW meets the thresholds defined by City Code.

It is my recommendation that this go to City Council for approval per section 15-203 of the City Code. Once a Council date has been established, notification letters will go out to the residents who submitted petitions.

**RESOLUTION
APPROVING CERTAIN STREETS
AS RESTRICTED PARKING BLOCKS**

WHEREAS, certain residents of 11th Street Northwest between Gordon Avenue and West Street, and/or the City Traffic Engineer have requested that City Council designate those streets or portions of streets as restricted parking areas; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with §15-203 of the Charlottesville City Code, 1990, as amended, the City Traffic Engineer has conducted on-street parking surveys and mailed notice to all residents of the affected areas that Council will consider this request; and

WHEREAS, the surveys have shown that at least 75% of the total number of on-street parking spaces in the proposed restricted parking blocks were occupied, and at least 50% of the total number of on-street parking spaces in those blocks were occupied by commuter vehicles; and

WHEREAS, Council has considered:

- (a) the purpose and intent of Chapter 15, Article 5, Division 3 of the Charlottesville City Code, 1990, as amended;
- (b) the alternate means of transportation, if any, to and from the restricted parking areas being established;
- (c) the impact, if any, that establishment of a restricted parking area may have on nearby neighborhoods or blocks that do not have permit parking; and
- (d) the impact, if any, that a restricted area may have on persons who do not reside within that area and their ability to find parking near their place of work; and
- (e) the hours, if any, during which the proposed restricted parking areas are affected by commuter vehicles.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Charlottesville that, pursuant to §15-203 of the City Code, the following areas are each hereby designated restricted parking areas: 11th Street Northwest between Gordon Avenue and West Street.