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Buildings and Grounds ID Number: ID#16-1124	Date: 11/9/2016
Submitted By: Fred Abadi, P.E. Public Works Director	City Administrator Approval: Kevin Lahner, City Administrator
Finance Department Review: Rich Abbott, Finance Director RA	City Attorney's Office Review: Brian Running, City Attorney BER
Subject: Review potential implementation of even/odd parking policy (even days parking allowed on even side - odd days parking allowed on odd side) city wide.	

Details:

This item was originally brought to Buildings & Grounds Committee back on July 18, 2016. The committee held the item twice and requested it to be on the November 14, 2016 agenda in order to have Ald. Jankowski present to speak to it. It is being brought back for further discussion.

This item was originally brought forward for consideration after a brief discussion at the July 18, 2016 Buildings & Grounds committee meeting. It was expressed that alternate side parking might elevate issues with parking on one side of the street and would help with snow plowing in the winter. Staff has not fully reviewed this item and can only offer anecdotal commentary at this time. We note that other cities have gone away from alternate side parking. It would take significant police resources to patrol such a change. Some areas in the city, such as downtown, would be significantly impacted by such a change and likely not feasible at all. It is hard to quantify the level of impacts of a city wide change to alternate parking, good or bad, and we would need to solicit parking consultant expertise to study such a change. Without resources dedicated to policing alternate side parking, very likely many residents will ignore the change and cause more parking issues.

Options & Alternatives:

Discuss whether to approve this request. No alternatives analysis was done. A city wide parking change of this nature would have significant impacts to the daily lives of many. A study would need to be conducted to research such a change.

Financial Remarks:

The financial impacts of making a City Wide alternate side parking designation is unknown at this time and would need significant study to acquire this information. No funding is currently available for such a study.

Executive Action:

Department of Public Works recommends no action and removal of this item from further study and consideration.

