

City of Waukesha

City Hall, 201 Delafield Street Waukesha, WI 53188

leeting Agenda - Final with recommendation

Building and Grounds

Monday, November 14, 2016

7:00 PM

Council Chambers, City Hall Use lower level glass door.

1. Call to Order

2. Approval of Minutes

A. <u>ID#16-1655</u> Approve the October 17, 2016 Meeting Minutes.

<u>Attachments:</u> Building and Grounds Minutes 10-17-2016 - DRAFT

3. Discussion and Recommendation re:

A. ID#16-1656 Please rescind the previously approved (ID #16-1275) of "No Parking at

any time on both sides of Walden Circle from the south lot line of 3028 to the south lot line of 3035 Walden Circle". Revert back to open

parking.

Recommendation: This referral was made by Ald. Boyle. Residents on Walden Circle objected to having

signs installed and have requested the previously approved No Parking zone be

rescinded.

The No Parking zone was requested by the Fire Department. See attached letter from Fire Marshal, Brian Charlesworth, stating the issue of emergency response vehicles not be able to make it around Walden Circle and requested an item to be placed on the

B&G committee to have No Parking signs installed.

Residents have petitioned to Ald. Boyle to have the zone removed and provided an

attached letter stating their opposition.

The Public Works Department will side with the Fire Marshal on this issue and will advocate for keeping the previously approved No Parking zone. Staff recommends No

Action on this item.

Sponsors: Boyle

Attachments: Item 16-1656 Admin Review Rescind Parking Zone on Walden Cir

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No Parking Sign DISPUTE from Walden Cir Residents

B. ID#16-1124

Review potential implementation of even/odd parking policy (even days parking allowed on even side - odd days parking allowed on odd side) city wide

Recommendation:

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.

This referral was made by Ald. Jankowski. This item was brought forward for consideration after a brief discussion at the last 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. 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. Staff recommends no action be taken on this item and that it be removed from further consideration.

Sponsors: Jankowski

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Item 16-1124 Admin Review City Wide Alternate Parking - Updated</u>

Legislative History

7/18/16 Building and Grounds held 8/15/16 Building and Grounds held

4. Communications and Referrals

A. ID#16-1657

Please discuss and act upon a request to install audible crossing signals on the north, east and west legs of the intersection of STH 59 / 164 (Les Paul Parkway) & CTH Y (Racine Ave). Additionally, establish a crosswalk with the signals from the south side of Racine Avenue to the north side of the road on the east side of 164.

Recommendation:

This referral was made by Ald. Cummings. The request is to have crosswalks, upgraded curb ramps and audible pedestrian signal items added to the existing traffic signal at the intersection of STH 59 / 164 (Les Paul Parkway) & CTH Y (Racine Ave).

This item is being brought to the Buildings & Grounds Committee under "Communications and Referrals" because this item cannot be acted upon by the Committee. The traffic signal in question and associated roadways are not in the jurisdiction of the City of Waukesha and, therefore, cannot approve such an item. The Wisconsin Dept. of Transportation is the only entity that can approve and install such equipment on their owned and maintained facilities. The item will be discussed by the committee and to see if they wish to refer it to another agency for consideration.

<u>Sponsors:</u> Cummings

<u>Attachments:</u> <u>Item 16-1657 Admin Review Les Paul & Racine</u>

- **B.** <u>ID#16-1658</u> Current Buildings & Grounds Budget = \$905
- 5. Adjournment

"A majority of the Council members may be in attendance"

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