

**TRAFFIC AUTHORITY MINUTES
AUGUST, 2011**

The Traffic Authority of the City of New Haven, duly warned, met in Chambers, One Union Avenue, New Haven, Connecticut on August 9th, 2011.

PRESENT: Commissioners: Richard Epstein, President, Theodore Brooks, Richard Buckholz, Cathy Graves, Evelise Ribeiro and Sandra Trevino;
Frank Limon, Department of Police Services;
Jim Travers, Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking.
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The meeting was called to order at 6:00PM, Commissioner Epstein presiding.

Voting on approval of the minutes of the April 12th, 2011 meeting was postponed until the next meeting of the Traffic Authority.

The following items were presented:

Items 1. and 2. were considered together.

Item 1. Request of the Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking for rescinding ONE WAY westbound and establishing ONE WAY eastbound operation of Oxford Street between Lenox Street and Quinnipiac Avenue. Approval recommended.

Item 2. Request of the Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking, for rescinding ONE WAY eastbound and establishing ONE WAY westbound operation of Aner Street between Lenox Street and Quinnipiac Avenue. Approval recommended.

Bruce Fischer presented the technical reports. Commissioner Ribeiro moved to approve the items. Commissioner Brooks seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved unanimously.

Item 3. Request of the Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking, for revising parking time limits and for extending hours for pay parking from 7 AM – 7 PM to 7 AM – 12 AM (Midnight) in certain areas. Approval recommended.

Jim Travers presented the technical report. Commissioner Brooks moved to approve the item. Commissioner Trevino seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved. Commissioners Brooks and Trevino voted in favor of approval, Commissioners Graves and Buckholz voted against approval and Commissioner Ribeiro abstained, resulting in a tie vote. Commissioner Epstein broke the tie with a vote in favor of approval of the item.

Item 4. Request of Lee Cruz, Chatham Square Neighborhood Association, for permission to operate a SLOW MOVING VEHICLE (Horse Drawn Carriage) on certain city streets (Maltby Street, Pine Street, Downing Street, Peck Street, Beach View Lane and Del Rio Drive) from Noon - 5:00PM on September 10th, 2011. Approval recommended.

Bruce Fischer presented the technical reports. Commissioner Brooks moved to approve the items. Commissioner Ribeiro seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved unanimously.

Item 5. Request of the Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking for parking controls less than one block in length as indicated.

A. Establish RESERVED FOR HANDICAPPED parking spaces.

1. In front of 433 Columbus Avenue..... 1 space
2. In front of 174 Clay Street..... 1 space

- 3. In front of 227 Edgewood Avenue..... 1 space
- 4. In front of 44 Elizabeth Ann Drive..... 1 space
- 5. In front of 267 Greene Street..... 1 space
- 6. In front of 325 Lenox Street..... 1 space
- 7. In front of 148 Lloyd Street..... 1 space
- 8. In front of 47 Pearl Street..... 1 space
- 9. In front of 122 Osborne Avenue..... 1 space
- 10. In front of 170 Sherman Avenue..... 1 space
- 11. In front of 54 Vernon Street..... 1 space
- 12. In front of 34 Winter Street..... 1 space
- 13. In front of 52 Young Street..... 1 space

B. Rescind RESERVED FOR HANDICAPPED parking space.

- 1. In front of 370 Blatchley Avenue..... 1 space
- 2. In front of 72 Hazel Street..... 1 space
- 3. In front of 66 Rosette Street..... 1 space

Approval of A and B. recommended.

Bruce Fischer presented the technical report. Commissioner Brooks moved to approve the item. Commissioner Graves seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved unanimously.

C. Establish LOADING ZONE regulation.

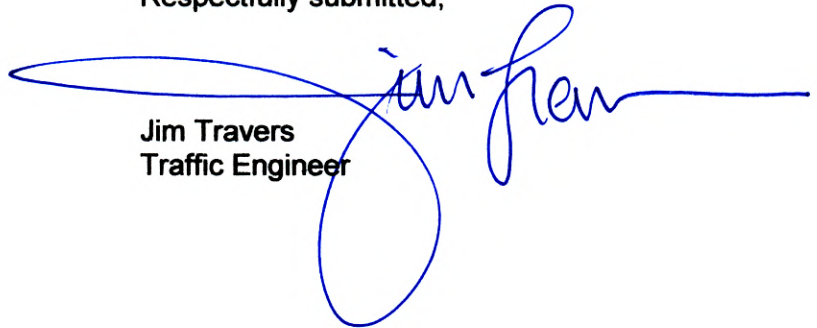
- 1. On the east side of East Street from 35 feet south of Grand Avenue to approximately 135 feet south of Grand Avenue. Request of Benders Plumbing

Approval of C. recommended.

Bruce Fischer presented the technical report. Commissioner Ribeiro moved to approve the item. Commissioner Buckholz seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and approved unanimously.

There being no further business of the Traffic Authority, the meeting was adjourned at 6:33 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Jim Travers
Traffic Engineer

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