



**Council
Communication**
Office of the City Manager

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Agenda Item No. 55
Roll Call No. ~~06-~~
Communication No. 06-167
Submitted by: **Jeb E. Brewer, P.E.**
City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Recommending approval of an additional school passenger loading and unloading area on 10th Street north of Walnut Street adjacent to the downtown Walnut Street School building.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the first reading of the Ordinance regarding traffic regulation changes.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: Minor costs.

Funding Source: 2006-2007 Operating Budget, Page 84, Engineering Department Traffic & Transportation – Sign Installation and Maintenance, ENG100413.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

In cooperation with the downtown Walnut Street School, located on the north side of Walnut Street between 9th and 10th Streets, Traffic and Transportation has been asked to provide an additional student loading and unloading area during the arrival and dismissal periods on school days, adjacent to the school. Currently, there is a designated school passenger loading and unloading area on 9th Street, and the school has requested a similar area on the east side of 10th Street. During non-school hours or days, the area will provide two-hour parking meters for general short-term public parking. This same arrangement for school passenger loading/unloading during school arrival and dismissal periods, with general metered parking at other times, is also provided on sections of Grand Avenue and Locust Street for the downtown school at 5th and Grand. The following ordinance changes will provide the school passenger loading and unloading area on the east side of 10th Street north of Walnut Street:

Sec. 114-2704. Tenth Street--Walnut Street to Locust Street.

Tenth Street, on the east side, from Walnut Street to a point 185 feet north thereof, school passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. school days, 20 minutes only.

Sec. 114-3900. Tenth Street--Walnut Street to Locust Street.

Tenth Street, on the east side, from Walnut Street to a point 185 feet north thereof, two-hour meters, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

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BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

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ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Second and third readings of Ordinance.