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	<b>Agenda Item No.</b> 40 <b>Roll Call No.</b> <u>13-1418</u> <b>Communication No.</b> <u>13-451</u> <b>Submitted by:</b> <b>Jeb E. Brewer, P.E., City Engineer</b>

**AGENDA HEADING:**

Amending Chapter 114 of the Municipal Code regarding traffic regulation changes as follows:

- A. Parking Restrictions on East Grand Avenue and Locust Street in Conjunction with New Pavement Markings.
- B. Commercial Loading Zone on the East Side of 18th Street North of Grand Avenue.

**SYNOPSIS:**

Recommend approval of the staff recommendations, including first reading of the Ordinance regarding the traffic regulation changes.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount: Minor costs for signing modifications.

Funding Source: 2013-2014 Operating Budget, Page 80 Engineering Department Traffic & Transportation - Sign Installation and Maintenance, EG062080.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

A. To support recent changes in the street layout on Grand Avenue to accommodate the bicycle initiative, the following ordinance changes are necessary.

Sec. 114-3268. East Grand Avenue--Robert D Ray Drive to East Fourth Street.

East Grand Avenue, on the south side, from a point 220 feet east of East Second Street to a point 70 feet east thereof, no parking anytime.

Sec. 114-4097. East Grand Avenue--Des Moines River Bridge to East Fourth Street.

East Grand Avenue, on the south side, from a point 20 feet east of East Second Street to a point 200 feet east, thereof, 62 feet west of East Fourth Street, four-hour meters, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

East Grand Avenue, on the south side, from a point 290 feet east of East Second Street to a point 62 feet west of East Fourth Street, four-hour meters, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Sec. 114-3925.7. Locust Street--Eighth Street to Ninth Street.

Locust Street, on the north side, from a point 200 feet west of Eighth Street to Ninth Street, two-hour meters, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ~~9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.~~

Sec. 114-3925.9. Locust Street--Ninth Street to Tenth Street.

Locust Street, on the north side, from Ninth Street to a point 140 feet west thereof, two-hour meters, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ~~9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.~~

Locust Street, on the north side, from a point 200 feet west of Ninth Street to Tenth Street, two-hour meters, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ~~9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.~~

Sec. 114-4027. Locust Street--Twelfth Street to Thirteenth Street.

Locust Street, on the north side, from a point 20 feet west of Twelfth Street to a point 25 feet east of Thirteenth Street, four-hour meters, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ~~9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.~~

B. At the request of Ray and Suzanne Fredregill, owners of Funky Finds Vintage and Retro Clothing, the City Traffic and Transportation Division has investigated the possibility of installing a loading zone in a location convenient to their business. Staff recommends the installation of a loading zone as indicated below to provide a commercial loading zone at the front entrance to this business.

Sec. 114-2781. Eighteenth Street--Locust Street to Ingersoll Avenue.

Eighteenth Street, on the east side, 82 feet north of Grand Avenue to a point 30 feet north thereof, commercial loading zone.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE**

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE**

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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