



**Roll Call Number**

**Agenda Item Number**

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**Date** May 21, 2012

An Ordinance entitled, "AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, by amending Sections 114-610, 114-2760, 114-2868, 114-3259 and 114-3331 and adding and enacting a new Section 114-3310.01, relating to traffic and vehicle regulations",

which was considered and voted upon under Roll Call No. 12- 0734 of May 7, 2012; again presented.

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ that this ordinance be considered and given second vote for passage.

(Second of three required readings)


COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
GRIESS				
HENSLEY				
MAHAFFEY				
MEYER				
MOORE				
<b>TOTAL</b>				
MOTION CARRIED			APPROVED	
_____ Mayor				

**CERTIFICATE**

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

\_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk

 <b>Council Communication</b> Office of the City Manager	<b>Date:</b> May 7, 2012
	<b>Agenda Item No.</b> 48 <b>Roll Call No.</b> 12-0134 <b>Communication No.</b> 12-211 <b>Submitted by:</b> Jeb E. Brewer, P.E. City Engineer

**AGENDA HEADING:**

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

- A. Parking Restriction—North side of Hull Avenue between East 14th Street and East 15th Street.
- B. Garbage Day Parking Restriction Removal—East Side of 31st Street from and including the cul-de-sac south of Carpenter, Fridays.
- C. Required changes to update the ordinance to match current field conditions.

**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: 2012-2013 Operating Budget, Page 80 Engineering Department Traffic & Transportation - Sign Installation and Maintenance, ENG100413.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

A. Staff received a petition from residents on Hull Avenue requesting that parking be prohibited at all times on the north side of Hull Avenue between East 14<sup>th</sup> Street and East 15<sup>th</sup> Street. The request originated from the property owner at 1436 Hull Avenue who was concerned about his driveway being blocked by students at Grandview University who attend class during the day or park overnight for the campus housing.

Currently parking is restricted on the south side of Hull Avenue from East 14<sup>th</sup> to just west of East 24<sup>th</sup> Street. Parking is restricted on the north side near the East 14<sup>th</sup> Street intersection and near the corner of East 15<sup>th</sup> Street. This change was made recently to clear up parking congestion near the corners. The residents feel this is not enough and would like to have all parking restricted, so that they have clear view of oncoming traffic when entering or exiting from their driveways.

Parking demand in this area has increased as Grandview has continued to expand its residential living on campus. In addition, the "L" apartments are a fairly new addition to the Grandview Campus. Students

that live in these apartments are allowed one space per unit on campus and are not allowed to park elsewhere on campus. The students in units that have more than one car, must park elsewhere off campus. Some students that have campus parking passes, simply find it more convenient to park on Hull instead of lots further away from their housing. Grandview is planning to build additional residential units on campus and add an additional 30 spaces at the former gas station on the southeast corner of Hull Avenue and East 14<sup>th</sup> Street this summer. There are no other future campus parking lots planned.

Staff recommended that parking should be prohibited on the north side of Hull Avenue from East 14<sup>th</sup> Street to East 15<sup>th</sup> Street. This area should be posted "No Parking Any Time". This will provide increased sight distance for vehicles accessing the residential driveways on this side of the street. At the April 10, 2012 meeting, the Traffic Safety Committee concurred with staff recommendation to restrict parking on the north side of Hull Avenue between East 14th Street and East 15th Street. The following changes to the Municipal Code will put this restriction into effect.

Sec. 114-3331. Hull Avenue--East Fourteenth Street to east city limits.

~~Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Fourteenth Street to a point 285 feet east thereof, no parking any time.~~

~~Hull Avenue, on the north side, from a point 50 feet west of East Fifteenth Street to a point 65 feet east of East Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.~~

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Fourteenth Street a point 65 feet east of East Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.

B. Traffic and Transportation was contacted by a resident to request that the parking restriction on the east side of 31<sup>st</sup> Street be removed. This restriction was put into place for garbage pick-up when the street was fronted by single family residential homes. This area has been redeveloped for commercial use and therefore there is no longer on-street garbage pick-up in this section and the restriction is no longer needed. The following change to the Municipal Code is necessary to allow parking on Fridays between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

~~Sec. 114-2868. Thirty first Street, on the east side, from and including the cul de sac to a point 50 feet south of Carpenter Avenue, no parking 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday.~~

C. The following are ordinance changes required to update the Municipal Code to match current field conditions:

Sec. 114-3310 High Street -- Fourteenth Street to Fifteenth Street

**High Street, on the north side, from Fifteenth Street to a point 185 feet east thereof, two hour parking 9:00 a.m to 4:00 p.m.**

**High Street, on the north side, from a point 185 feet east of Fifteenth Street to Fourteenth Street, no parking anytime.**

**High Street, on the south side, from Fourteenth Street to Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.**

Sec. 114-2760 Fifteenth Street—Ingersoll Avenue to dead end north of Shawnee Avenue.

~~Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from a point 20 feet south of Ingersoll Avenue to a point 120 feet north of Ingersoll Avenue, no parking any time.~~

**Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from Ingersoll Avenue to High Street, no parking any time.**

~~Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from High Street to a point 50 feet south thereof, no parking any time.~~

Sec. 114-3259. Grand Avenue--Seventeenth Street to Eighteenth Street.

Grand Avenue, on the south side, from Seventeenth Street to a point ~~200~~ **225** feet west thereof, school loading and unloading, 30-minute limit, Monday through Friday, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Thirty-minute limit for all school passenger loading and unloading. A school issued identification placard is required to identify authorized vehicles dropping off and picking up during the restricted hours, on school days.

Sec. 114-610. School passenger loading and unloading zones.

**(6) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. school days, 30 minute limit.**

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

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

April 10, 2012: Motion was made by Scott Galenbeck to approve staff recommendation to remove parking on Hull Avenue between East 14<sup>th</sup> Street and East 15<sup>th</sup> Street; seconded by George Robinson. Nays: John Morrissey. Motion passed 8:1.

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, by amending Chapter 114 Traffic & Vehicle Regulations as summarized below. The complete text of the ordinance is available in the City of Des Moines City Clerk's Office, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa, or on the City of Des Moines' website at www.dmgov.org.

**DES MOINES TRAFFIC REGULATION CHANGES**

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

- A. Parking Restriction—North Side of Hull Avenue between E 14th Street and E 15th Street.
- B. Garbage Day Parking Restriction Removal—East Side of 31st Street from and including the cul-de-sac South of Carpenter, Fridays.
- C. Required changes to update the ordinance to match current field conditions.

FORM APPROVED:

Katharine Massier, Assistant City Attorney

T.M. Franklin Cownie, Mayor

Attest:

I, Diane Rauh, City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a summary of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_, passed by the City Council of said City on \_\_\_\_\_, signed by the Mayor on \_\_\_\_\_, and published as provided by law in the Business Record on \_\_\_\_\_. Authorized by Publication Order No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Diane Rauh, City Clerk

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ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, by amending Sections 114-610, 114-2760, 114-2868, 114-3259 and 114-3331 and adding and enacting a new Section 114-3310.01, relating to traffic and vehicle regulations.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, is hereby amended by amending Sections 114-610, 114-2760, 114-2868, 114-3259 and 114-3331 and adding and enacting a new Section 114-3310.01, relating to traffic and vehicle regulations, as follows:

**Sec. 114-610. School passenger loading and unloading zones.**

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park any vehicle for other than the purpose of loading or unloading school passengers at any time or at the times specified in this section at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction:
  - (1) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. school days.
  - (2) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. school days; no parking at all other times.
  - (3) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. school days, 20 minutes only; no parking at all other times.
  - (4) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. school days, 20 minutes only.
  - (5) School passenger loading and unloading, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. school days, 20 minutes only.
  - (6) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. school days, 30-minute limit.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$15.00.

**Sec. 114-2760. Fifteenth Street--Ingersoll Avenue to dead end north of Shawnee Avenue.**

~~Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from a point 20 feet south of Ingersoll Avenue to a point 120 feet north of Ingersoll Avenue, no parking any time.~~

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from Ingersoll Avenue to High Street, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the east side, from Ingersoll Avenue to High Street, no parking any time.

~~Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from High Street to a point 50 feet south thereof, no parking any time.~~

Fifteenth Street, on both sides, from High Street to a point 50 feet north thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on both sides, from Woodland Avenue to a point 50 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from Woodland Avenue to a point 50 feet north thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the east side, from Woodland Avenue to Crocker Street, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from Bridal Row to a point 25 feet north and south thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from a point 50 feet south of Pleasant Street to a point 50 feet north of Pleasant Street, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from a point 50 feet south of Park Street to Crocker Street, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on both sides, from Crocker Street to a point 300 feet south of School Street, no parking, 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Fifteenth Street, on both sides, from School Street to a point 300 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the east side, from a point 170 feet north of Enos Avenue to a point 100 feet north thereof, commercial loading zone.

Fifteenth Street, on the east side, from University Avenue to a point 150 feet north thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from University Avenue to Carpenter Avenue, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the east side, from Douglas Avenue to Shawnee Avenue, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from Seneca Avenue to a point 50 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Fifteenth Street, on the west side, from Shawnee Avenue to a point 550 feet north thereof and on any part of the cul-de-sac, no parking any time.

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**Sec. 114-2868. Thirty-first Street--John Lynde Road to dead end north of Lincoln Avenue.**

Thirty-first Street, on the east side, from St. John's Road to Grand Avenue, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from Elmwood Drive to a point 125 feet north thereof, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from Grand Avenue to a point 150 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from a point 150 feet south of Grand Avenue to a point 60 feet south thereof, commercial loading zone.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from a point 210 feet south of Grand Avenue to a point 210 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from a point 420 feet south of Grand Avenue to a point 550 feet south thereof, no parking 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from Grand Avenue to Ingersoll Avenue, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the east side, from Ingersoll Avenue to a point 190 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on both sides, from Ingersoll Avenue to a point 250 feet north of Pleasant Street, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on both sides, from a point 250 feet north of Pleasant Street to a point 200 feet north thereof, no stopping or standing.

Thirty-first Street, on both sides, from a point 450 feet north of Pleasant Street to University Avenue, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the west side, from University Avenue to Forest Avenue, no parking any time.

~~Thirty-first Street, on the east side, from and including the cul-de-sac to a point 50 feet south of Carpenter Avenue, no parking 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday.~~

Thirty-first Street, on the east side, from 50 feet south of Carpenter Avenue to a point 50 feet north of Carpenter Avenue, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the east side, from Forest Avenue to a point 165 feet north of College Avenue, no parking any time.

Thirty-first Street, on the east side, from Victoria Drive to Lincoln Avenue, no parking any time.

**Sec. 114-3259. Grand Avenue--Seventeenth Street to Eighteenth Street.**

Grand Avenue, on the north side, from Seventeenth Street to a point 30 feet west thereof, no parking any time.

Grand Avenue, on the south side, from Seventeenth Street to a point 200~~225~~ feet west thereof, school loading and unloading, 30-minute limit, Monday through Friday, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.



and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Thirty-minute limit for all school passenger loading and unloading. A school issued identification placard is required to identify authorized vehicles dropping off and picking up during the restricted hours, on school days.

Grand Avenue, on the south side, from a point 225 feet west of Seventeenth Street to Fleur Drive, no parking any time.

Grand Avenue, on the north side, from a point 30 feet west of Seventeenth Street to a point 270 feet west thereof, no parking 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Grand Avenue, on the north side, from a point 30 feet west of Seventeenth Street, to a point 270 feet west thereof, no parking 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Grand Avenue, on the north side, from a point 330 feet west of Seventeenth Street to Eighteenth Street, no parking any time.

**Sec. 114-3310.01. High Street-Fourteenth Street to Fifteenth Street.**

High Street, on the north side, from Fifteenth Street to a point 185 feet east thereof, two hour parking 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

High Street, on the north side, from a point 185 feet east of Fifteenth Street to Fourteenth Street, no parking any time.

High Street, on the south side, from Fourteenth Street to Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.

**Sec. 114-3331. Hull Avenue--East Fourteenth Street to east city limits.**

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from a point 250 feet east of Sampson Street to a point 100 feet east of Delaware Avenue, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from Delaware Avenue to a point 600 feet west thereof, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Thirty-ninth Court to East Fortieth Court, no parking 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

~~Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Fourteenth Street to a point 285 feet east thereof, no parking any time.~~

~~Hull Avenue, on the north side, from a point 50 feet west of East Fifteenth Street to a point 65 feet east of East Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.~~

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Fourteenth Street to a point 65 feet east of East Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Fourteenth Street to a point 250 feet west of East Twenty-fourth Street, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Twenty-fourth Street to a point 250 feet west thereof, no stopping or standing.

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Twenty-fourth Street to a point 50 feet east thereof, no parking any time.

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Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Twenty-fourth Street to East Twenty-ninth Street, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Twenty-fifth Street to a point 75 feet west thereof, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from a point 50 feet west of East Twenty-sixth Street to a point 50 feet east of East Twenty-sixth Street, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Thirty-second Street to East Thirty-second Court, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Thirty-fifth Street to East Thirty-eighth Street, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Thirty-eighth Street to East Fortieth Court, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Fortieth Court to East Forty-second Street, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Forty-second Street to a point 100 feet west thereof, no parking any time.

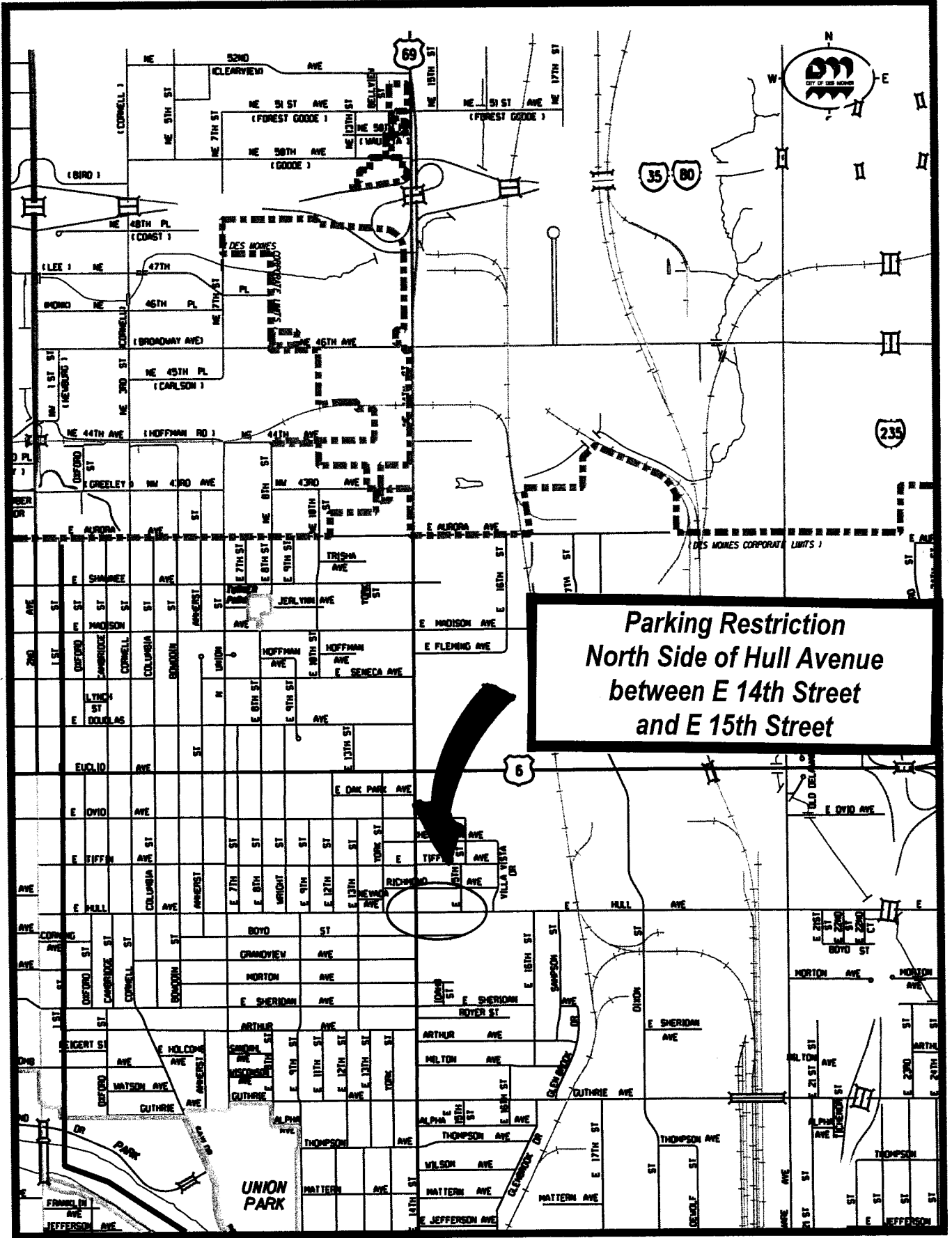
Hull Avenue, on the north side, from East Forty-second Street to a point 70 feet east thereof, no parking any time.

Hull Avenue, on the south side, from East Forty-second Street to a point 590 feet east thereof, no parking any time.

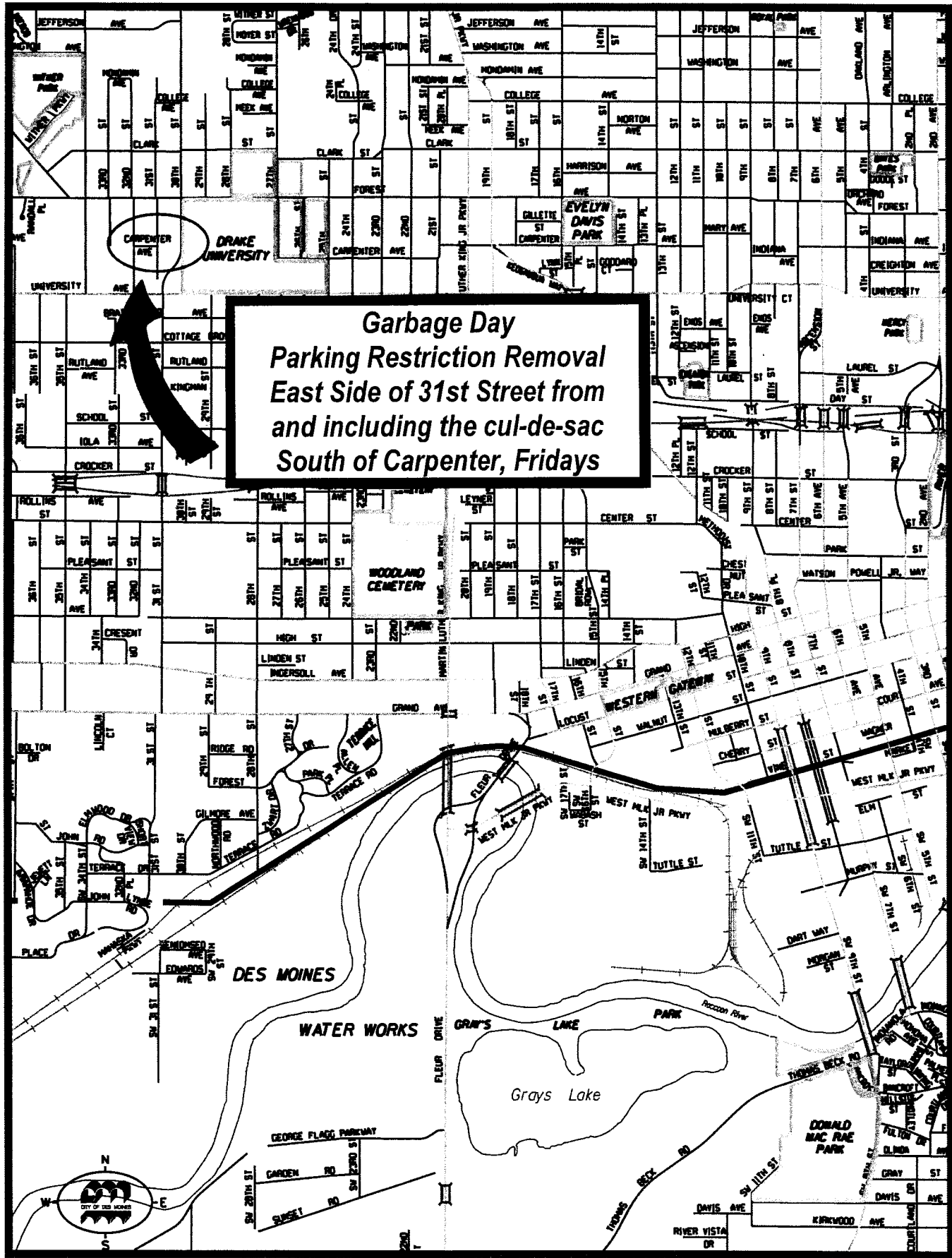
Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

FORM APPROVED:

K. Massier  
Katharine Massier  
Assistant City Attorney



**Parking Restriction  
North Side of Hull Avenue  
between E 14th Street  
and E 15th Street**



**Garbage Day  
Parking Restriction Removal  
East Side of 31st Street from  
and including the cul-de-sac  
South of Carpenter, Fridays**

