

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

CITY OF LOWELL

In City Council

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Amending the "Code of Ordinances for the City of Lowell, Massachusetts", (the "Code") With Respect to Chapter 266 Entitled, "Vehicles and Traffic".

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOWELL, as follows:

"The Code of Ordinances City of Lowell, Massachusetts" hereinafter called the "Code", adopted by the City Council on December 23, 2008, as amended, is hereby further amended with respect to Chapter 266, entitled "Vehicles and Traffic", as follows:

**§266-36**

**Commercial vehicles restricted - A** – is hereby amended by **adding** the following:

- (5) Maryl Drive, between Rogers Street and Fairmount Street.
- (6) Sparks Street, against both directions of traffic from the first intersection with Martin Street to the second intersection with Martin Street.
- (7) Olive Street, against eastbound commercial vehicles from Gorham Street to the end of Olive Street.
- (8) Olive Street, against westbound commercial vehicles from the end of Olive Street to Gorham Street

**§266-47**

**Stop intersections** – is hereby amended by **adding** the following:

| <b>Stop Sign On</b> | <b>Direction of Travel</b> | <b>At intersection of</b> |
|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Maryl Drive         | Northeast                  | Fairmount Street          |

**§266-52**

**Thirty minute parking area – B** - is hereby amended by **adding** the following:

| <b>Name of Street</b> | <b>Side</b>  | <b>Location</b>  |
|-----------------------|--------------|--|
| University Ave.(176)  | Southwestern | From a point 67 feet northwest of the northwest curblin e of White Street extending 20 feet northwesterly. |

**§266-55**

**Parking for handicapped persons; elderly drop-off zones – C** is hereby amended by **adding** the following:

| <b>Name of Street</b> | <b>Side</b> | <b>Location</b>   |
|-----------------------|-------------|---|
| Central Street (733)  | West        | Beginning at a point 295 feet north from the northerly curblin e of Walnut Street and running north along Central Street a distance of 20 feet. |
| Lawrence Street (332) | East        | Beginning at a point 104 feet north of the northerly curblin e of Clark’s Court running northerly a distance of 20 feet along Lawrence Street   |
| Linden Street (16)    | East        | Beginning at a point 90 feet north of the northerly curblin e of Court Avenue running northerly a distance of 20 feet along Linden Street.      |
| Dundee Street (40)    | North       | Beginning at a point 132 feet east of the northeasterly curblin e of Aberdeen Street  |

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|                               |       | running easterly a distance of 20 feet along Dundee Street.   |
| Broadway<br>(186 Suffolk)     | South | Beginning at a point 40 feet west of the westerly curblines of Suffolk Street running westerly a distance of 20 feet along Broadway Street.                 |
| Liberty Street<br>(185 Smith) | South | Beginning at a point 40 feet west of the westerly curblines of Smith Street running westerly a distance of 20 feet along Liberty Street.                    |
| Lincoln Street (93)           | West  | Beginning at a point 214 feet south of the southeasterly curblines of Short Street running southerly a distance of 20 feet along Lincoln Street.            |
| Merrimack Street (15)         | North | Beginning at a point 62 feet west of the southwesterly curblines of Bridge Street running westerly a distance of 20 feet along Merrimack Street.            |
| West Sixth Street (276)       | West  | Beginning at a point 171 feet southeast of the southeasterly curblines of Ennell Street running southeasterly a distance of 20 feet along West Sixth Street |

**§266-55**

**Parking for handicapped persons; elderly drop-off zones – C** is hereby amended by **deleting** the following:

| <b>Name of Street</b> | <b>Side</b> | <b>Location</b>   |
|-----------------------|-------------|---|
| Fremont Street (100)  | West        | Beginning at a point 339 feet north of the northerly curblines of Sixth Street running 20 feet in the northerly direction along Fremont Street. |

**§266-56**

**Parking prohibited on certain streets at all times**  
is hereby amended by **adding** the following:

| <b>Name of Street</b> | <b>Side</b> | <b>Location</b>   |
|-----------------------|-------------|---|
| Lawrence Drive        |             | Beginning at the southwestern property line for 85 Perkins Street, running northeasterly 127 feet, and from that point, running 100 feet northwesterly. |
| Courtney Lane         | Both        | From Lakeview Avenue to a point 52 feet southwest of Lakeview Avenue.   |

**§266-73**

**Parking areas designated as church parking – A**  
is hereby amended by **adding** the following:

- (3) Linden Street, westerly side, beginning at a point 20 feet from the northerly curbline of Hobson Street, running a distance of 20 feet to the north.

All provisions of the Code of the City of Lowell, as amended, which are consistent with this Ordinance, shall continue in effect, but all provisions of said Code inconsistent herewith, are repealed.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of Massachusetts General Laws.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
Christine P. O'Connor  
City Solicitor



Diane Nichols Tradd  
Assistant City Manager/DPD Director

Craig Thomas  
Deputy Director

MEMORANDUM

TO: Eileen M. Donoghue, City Manager  
Diane N. Tradd, Assistant City Manager/DPD Director

FROM: Natasha Vance, Transportation Engineer

SUBJECT: REPORT ON QUARTERLY TRAFFIC ORDINANCES

DATE: February 12, 2019

The Ordinances contained in the quarterly package that is before the City Council on February 12, 2019 and then referred to Public Hearing are 60 day trials dating from June 26, 2018 through December 4, 2018. These were initiated as follows:

**§266-36 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES RESTRICTED - adding**

*Initiated by Motion:* Maryl Drive  
*Initiated by Petition:* Sparks Street  
*Initiated by Petition:* Olive Street

**§266-47 STOP INTERSECTIONS - adding**

*Initiated by Motion:* Maryl Drive Northeast at Fairmount Street

**§266-52 (B) THIRTY MINUTE PARKING AREA - adding**

*Initiated by Business Request:* University Avenue, South side

**§266-55 (C) PARKING FOR HANDICAPPED PERSONS; ELDERLY DROP-OFF ZONES - adding**

*Initiated by Petition:* Central Street (733), West side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Lawrence Street (332), East side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Linden Street (16), East side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Dundee Street (40), North side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Broadway Street (186 Suffolk), South side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Liberty Street (185 Smith), South side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Lincoln Street (93), West side  
*Initiated by Petition:* Merrimack Street (15), North side  
*Initiated by Petition:* West Sixth Street (276), West side

**§266-55 (C) PARKING FOR HANDICAPPED PERSONS; ELDERLY DROP-OFF ZONES - deleting**

*Initiated by Citizen Request:* Fremont Street (100), West side

**§266-56 PARKING PROHIBITED ON CERTAIN STREETS AT ALL TIMES - adding**

*Initiated by Business Request:* Lawrence Drive  
*Initiated by Business Request:* Courtney Lane, Both sides

**§266-73 (A) PARKING AREAS DESIGNATED AS CHURCH PARKING - adding**

*Initiated by Church Request:* Linden Street

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Attachment

cc: Natasha Vance, Transportation Engineer