

## CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

**ENGINEERING** 

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Laurel Lunt Prussing and Members of the City Council

FROM: William R. Gray, Public Works Director

Joseph L. Smith, Senior Civil Engineer

**DATE:** August 20, 2009

**RE:** Ordinance from Traffic Commission Meeting

Attached is an ordinance for approval from action taken by the Urbana Traffic Commission.

The ordinance (Schedule J) prohibits parking at all times on the west side of Johnson Avenue between Oregon Street and Illinois Street and on the south side of Hollywood Alley in certain locations between Vine Street and Anderson Street.

Johnson Avenue is a street 25 feet in width between Oregon Street and Illinois Street. The width of the street does not accommodate parking on both sides and two-way traffic. Property owners on that street were notified; two spoke in favor of the restrictions to the Traffic Commission. Restricting parking on the west side of the street is more economical since street light poles on that side of the street can be used for installing the signs.

Hollywood Alley was recently improved to allow off-street parking for residents in that area. The City permitted garages to be placed along the south side of Hollywood Alley in addition to the off-street parking. To provide easier access to the off-street parking and garages, the Traffic Commission is recommending that parking be restricted on the north side of Hollywood Alley across from those areas.

The ordinance (Schedule J) currently prohibits parking on the east side of Glover Avenue in front of the Public Works Center. Since the time that the restrictions were passed, the street has been widened from Washington Street to the northern edge of the property at 706 South Glover Avenue. By rescinding this restriction, visitors will have more spaces for parking and two-way traffic will be able to safely travel along that area.

The Traffic Commission has considered these locations at its August 2009 meeting and recommends that the ordinance be passed by the City Council.

Prepared by: _		Approved by: _	
	Joseph L. Smith, P.E. Senior Civil Engineer		William R. Gray, P.E. Public Works Director
Attachments:	Ordinance Location Map		

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULE J OF SECTION 23-183 OF THE URBANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE PROHIBITING PARKING AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS

(Johnson Avenue; Hollywood Alley; Glover Avenue)

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

Section 1. That Schedule J of Section 23-183, entitled "Parking Prohibited At All Times On Certain Streets" of Article XIV of the Urbana Local Traffic Code, is hereby amended by ADDING to that schedule the following portion of a street where no person shall park a vehicle at any time:

Street	<u>Between</u>	Side of Street
Johnson Avenue	From the centerline of Oregon Street to the centerline of Illinois Street	West Side
Hollywood Alley	From 303 feet east of the centerline of Vine Street to 397 feet east of the centerline of Vine Street and 745 feet east of the centerline of Vine Street to 845 feet east of the centerline of Vine Street	North Side

Section 2. That Schedule J of Section 23-183, entitled "Parking Prohibited At All Times On Certain Streets" of Article XIV of the Urbana Local Traffic Code, is hereby amended by DELETING from that schedule the following portion of a street where no person shall park a vehicle at any time:

Street Between Side of Street

Glover Avenue From 325 feet north of the East Side

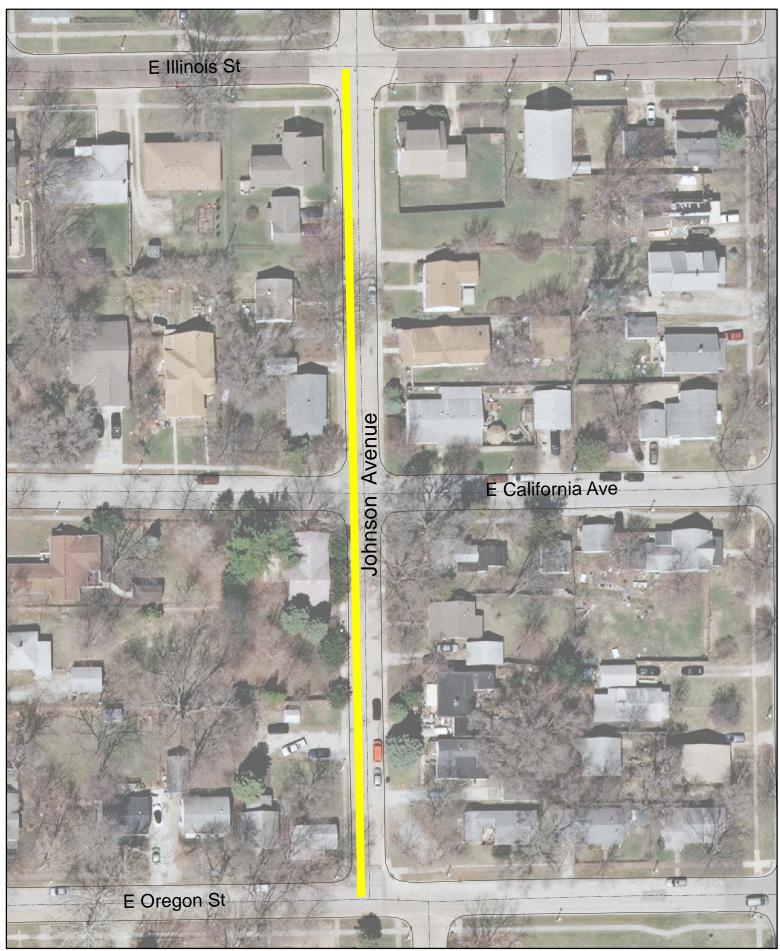
centerline of Washington Street to 485 feet north of the

centerline of Washington Street

Section 3. All ordinances, resolutions, motions, or parts thereof, in	L			
conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such				
conflict, hereby repealed.				
Section 4. This Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any suit of	r			
proceeding pending in any court, or any rights acquired, or a liability				
incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing prior to the				
effective date of this Ordinance; nor shall any right or remedy of any				
character be lost, impaired, or affected by this Ordinance.				
Section 5. The City Clerk is directed to publish this Ordinance in				
pamphlet form by authority of the corporate authorities, and this Ordinance				
shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication				
in accordance with Section 1-2-4 of the Illinois Municipal Code.				
PASSED by the City Council this day of,	- •			
AYES:				
NAYS:				
ABSTAINS:				
Phyllis D. Clark, City Clerk	_			
APPROVED by the Mayor this day of,,,	- •			
Laurel Lunt Prussing, Mayor				

## CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM

I, Phyllis D. Clark, certify that I am the duly elected and acting Uunicipal Clerk of the City of Urbana, Champaign County, Illinois.
I certify that on theday of, the corporate authorities of the City of Urbana passed and approved Ordinance No, entitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULE J OF SECTION 23-183 OF THE TRANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE PROHIBITING PARKING AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS Johnson Avenue; Hollywood Alley; Glover Avenue), " which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.
The pamphlet form of Ordinance No was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted in the Urbana City Building commencing on the,, and continuing for at least ten (10) days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request at the Office of the City Clerk.
DATED at Urbana, Illinois, this day of,
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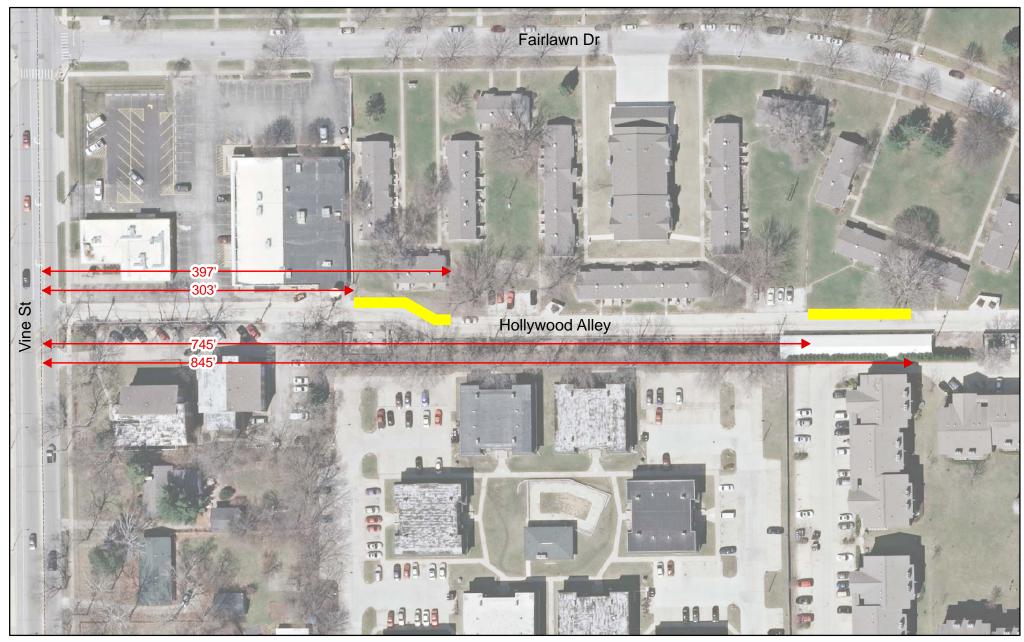


**Proposed No Parking- Johnson Avenue** From Oregon Street centerline to Illinois Street centerline - west side of street.



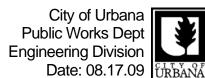
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Proposed No Parking - Hollywood Alley
From 303 feet east of the Vine Street centerline
to 397 feet east of the Vine Street centerline
AND From 745 feet east of the Vine Street centerline
to 845 feet east of the Vine Street centerline North side of alley.







Proposed "Deletion" of No Parking - Glover Avenue From 325 feet north of the centerline of Washington St. to 485 feet north of the centerline of Washington St. -East side of street.



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