ORDINANCE NO. 14-05-24

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTERS 70 AND 72 AND THE TRAFFIC SCHEDULE IN CHAPTER 78 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA

WHEREAS, the City of Noblesville, Indiana ("City") is a growing community; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to such growth both in terms of population and development opportunities, the City is in need of making some process improvements so that the City can amend the traffic code on a more routine basis; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council for the City ("Council") appoints a Traffic Committee who is regularly briefed on traffic issues including, but not limited to, parking, standing, stopping, and moving (i.e. speed limits and other moving issues) within the City; and

WHEREAS, traffic issues relate to public safety and works concerns; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to delegate certain of its authority to amend the traffic schedules in the traffic code to the City Board of Public Works and Safety, upon recommendation of the Traffic Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to amend Chapter 70 of the Code of Ordinances of the City ("City Code") which contains General Provisions, Definitions, and divisions of responsibilities of various entities within the City of Noblesville in regards to traffic related issues within the City of Noblesville; and,

WHEREAS, the Council further desires to amend Chapter 72 of the City Code, which contains Designations, Restrictions, and Enforcement of Stopping, Standing, or Parking on certain streets with the City of Noblesville; and

WHEREAS, the Council further desires to amend Chapter 78 of the City Code, which contains Schedule V and lists areas that Parking Prohibited At All Times within the City of Noblesville; Schedule X and lists locations of Restricted Parking, Taxi Zones/Loading Zones; and, Schedule XIV and lists Parking Lots and Parking Garages within the City of Noblesville; and,

WHEREAS, the Council deems it to be in the best interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Noblesville that the City Code be amended as set forth herein.

IT IS THEREBY ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Noblesville as follows:

Section 1: Chapter 70 of the City Code is hereby amended to add a new section 70.25 as follows:

70.25 Authority of Board of Public Works and Safety

The Board of Public Works and Safety may, at the recommendation of City Council Traffic Committee, approve changes to the traffic schedule contained in Chapter 78 (including amendments to the schedules contained therein) throughout calendar year. Such changes when approved by the Board of Public Works and Safety shall be added to the Code of Ordinances as if the same were adopted by the Common Council of the City and shall be fully enforceable by the City.

On an annual basis, no later than the first of July of a given year, the Traffic Committee shall submit a report to the full Common Council of the City outlining the revisions made, if any, by the Board of Public Works for the prior twelve (12) month period. In the event that the Traffic Committee does not submit a report within the time period, a member of the Common Council may request such a report be made, but otherwise there shall be no other remedy beyond the receipt of such a report.

Section 2: Chapter 72 of the City Code is hereby amended to add a new subsection (L) to Section 72.12 as follows:

(L) Within 50 feet of the travelled way of an intersecting road or alley.

Section 3: Chapter 78 of the City Code is hereby amended to revise "Schedule V. Parking Prohibited At All Times" as set forth in the following chart:

STREET	RESTRICTED ZONE	SIDE
REMOVE		
8 th St. (north)	Wayne St. to first alley south	East
Clinton Street	8 th St. to 9 th St	North
ADD		
North 8th St	Clinton Street to Wayne Street	East
North 9 th St	Clinton Street to First Alley North	West

Section 4: Chapter 78 of the City Code is hereby amended to revise "Schedule X. Restricted parking All Times Taxi Zones/Loading Zones" as follows:

In the Chart, change the Word "Street" to "Street/Location"; and amend the chart as follows:

STREET/LOCATION	LOCATION	ZONE
ADD:		
Teal Lot	Two spaces, as signed	Loading zone, 20 minutes

<u>Section 5</u>: Chapter 78 of the City Code is hereby amended to revise "Schedule XIV: Parking Lots and Parking Garages" as set forth in the following chart:

FREE PARKING	SPACES		
Parking Lot	Location	Hours	Ord. No.
ADD:			
Teal Lot	Federal Hill	Free 4 consecutive	14-05-24
	Commons Nixon	hours	
	Street & Logan Street	No Parking 11:00 PM	
		- 5:00 AM Daily	

GARAGE SPAC	CES			
Garage	Location	Hours	Cost	Ord. No.
Federal Hill		Hourly paid parking: Monday - Sunday first four hours free	\$2/hour	14-05-24
		Lost ticket fee	\$50	

Section 6: The Street Department of the City of Noblesville shall post adequate signs to inform the public of these changes.

<u>Section 7</u>: The violation of these sections shall be deemed infractions as set out in the Code of Ordinances of the City of Noblesville, Indiana.

Section 8: All ordinances or parts of an ordinance that predate this Ordinance that are inconsistent or in conflict with the terms of this Ordinance, are superseded to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict. All other ordinances or parts of an ordinance, not so in conflict, shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 9. The provisions of this Ordinance are severable, and the validity of any phrase, clause, or part of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of the remainder of the Ordinance.

Section 10: This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption and approval by the Mayor.

Approved on this 14th day of May, 2024 by the Common Council of the City of Noblesville, Indiana:

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