



**CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

ENGINEERING

MEMORANDUM

TO: Bruce K. Walden, Chief Administrative Officer

FROM: William R. Gray, Public Works Director
Joseph L. Smith, Senior Civil Engineer

DATE: April 18, 2007

RE: Ordinance from Traffic Commission

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

The ordinance (Schedule J) prohibits parking at all times on Race Street. The location is on the east side of Race Street, south of Florida Avenue. This parking restriction is being requested by a resident who noticed that vehicles parked along the street were constricting the flow of traffic at the intersection of Race Street and Florida Avenue.

The field investigation found that the existing left turn bay length was substandard. As a result of this investigation, the Traffic Commission is also recommending that the turn bay length be increased by fifty (50) feet to bring it to current City standards. This increase in the length requires the extension of the parking restriction. With this parking restriction, traffic will have adequate room to queue in the left turn lane on Race Street at Florida Avenue without crossing the center line.

The Traffic Commission has considered this location at its April 2007 meeting and recommends that the ordinance be passed by the City Council.

Prepared 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

(Race Street)

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:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>	<u>Side of Street</u>
Race Street	From 196 feet south of the centerline of Florida Avenue to 260 feet south of the centerline of Florida Avenue	East Side

Section 2. All ordinances, resolutions, motions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any suit or 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 4. 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 Municipal Clerk of the City of Urbana, Champaign County, Illinois.

I certify that on the _____ day 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 URBANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE PROHIBITING PARKING AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS (Race Street)," 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 _____ day of _____, _____, 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 _____,
_____.

SEAL

CITY CLERK

W Florida Ave

Existing No Parking

196 Ft.

260 Ft.

S Race St

Proposed No Parking

Proposed No Parking - Race Street
from 196' south Florida Av centerline to 260' south
of the Florida Av centerline; east side of street.



1 inch equals 30 feet