

**CITY OF GLOUCESTER
TRAFFIC COMMISSION**

*A meeting will be held on Thursday April 28th, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.
in the third floor Conference Room
at Gloucester City Hall*

REVISED

AGENDA

Approval of the minutes from the 3/24/16 meeting

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Handicapped parking requests:

- Councilor Cox is requesting the removal of a handicapped parking space at #46 Warner Street.
- Rocky Neck Cultural Center is requesting a handicapped parking space opposite their location of #6 Wonson Street.
- One space at 11 Perkins Road
- Councilor Scott Memhard is requesting the TC to re-evaluate the handicapped parking space at #6 Plum Street.
- Councilor Cox is requesting an additional Handicapped/Disabled veteran parking space in front of the new Veteran's Clinic at 201 Main Street. It is intended to serve veterans from 7-5 Monday-Friday

The following was continued from our 3/24/16 meeting:

Order # CC2016-010 (Councilor Cox) **ORDERED** that the Gloucester Code of Ordinances Sec. 22-267 "One Way Streets-Generally" be amended by **ADDING** Derby Court from the intersection of Maplewood Avenue to Derby Court and Derby Court to Derby Street in a northwesterly direction.

(March meeting) After a discussion and speaking with Councilor Cox, a MOTION was made, seconded and PASSED to CONTINUE the Order until the TC can conduct a group site visit and also speak to the neighbors on the street.

The TC feels that a safer direction for traffic entering the street would be to have the one way direction go in the opposite as what was requested. The TC would like to get the residents input on this matter.

Order #CC2016-016 (*Councilor Memhard*) **ORDERED** that the Ordinances & Administration Standing Committee request that the Traffic Commission perform a speed study on Rockport Road from the intersection of Thatcher Road northeasterly to its intersection with Beachland Avenue to determine whether there should be a speed limit of 20 mph.

Order #CC2016-017 (*Councilor Memhard*) **ORDERED** that the GCO Chapter 22, Sec. 22-270 "Parking prohibited at all times" be amended by **ADDING** Main Street, northerly side from a point beginning 77 feet from its intersection with Scott Street in a westerly direction for a distance of 30 feet; and

Amend Sec. 22-291 "Tow-away zones" by **ADDING** Main Street, northerly side from a point beginning 77 feet from its intersection with Scott Street in a westerly direction for a distance of 30 feet; and

Amend Sec. 22-265 "Turning movements-Generally" by **ADDING** "Right Turn Only" for vehicles exiting the gas station at 354 Main Street, allowing vehicles to exit with the flow of oncoming traffic.

Order #CC2016-018 (*Councilor Memhard*) **ORDERED** that the Ordinances & Administration Standing Committee review recent amendments to Chapter 22, Sec. 22-270 concerning parking prohibited at all times on Mt. Pleasant Avenue in the vicinity of its intersection with Gerring Road.

FURTHER ORDERED that Sec. 22-270 "Parking prohibited at all times" – "Mt. Pleasant Avenue" be amended by **DELETING** "Mt. Pleasant Avenue" in its entirety after the words "southerly side" and by **ADDING** "beginning at a point 168 feet from its intersection with Gerring Road for a distance of 151 feet in a westerly direction."

FURTHER ORDERED that Sec. 22-291 "Tow-away zones" – "Mt. Pleasant Avenue" be amended by **DELETING** "Mt. Pleasant Avenue" in its entirety after the words "southerly side" and by **ADDING** "beginning at a point 168 feet from its intersection with Gerring Road for a distance of 151 feet in a westerly direction."

Order #CC2016-019 (*Councilor Memhard*) **ORDERED** that the Ordinance & Administration Committee consider the placement of a crosswalk on Eastern Ave. in the vicinity of Pond Road and the adjacent shopping area north of Pond Road to assist persons crossing Eastern Ave. (Rte. 127) from the nearby bus stop to the shopping area.

ROBERT B. RYAN, Chairman

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