



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

ENGINEERING

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Laurel L. Prussing and Members of the City Council
FROM: William R. Gray, Public Works Director
Joseph L. Smith, Senior Civil Engineer
DATE: June 4, 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 south side of Rainbow View from Abercorn Street to Ogelthorpe Avenue and on the south side of Stoughton Street. Rainbow View is located between the Savannah Green subdivision and the Prairie Green Apartments, east of Smith Road. Currently, parking is restricted on the north side of the street. Along the south side of the street in this section, Rainbow View intersects with four streets and three alleys. Motorists are confused about whether parking restrictions apply to the intersections with the streets or with the intersections for the alleys. As a result, some motorists park in such a manner as to restrict visibility for motorists turning onto Rainbow View. Since development has occurred between Abercorn Street and Ogelthorpe Avenue, the restricted visibility necessitates the parking restrictions along Rainbow View between those streets. The Traffic Commission will review the parking availability along Rainbow View between Ogelthorpe Avenue and Smith Road once that area has been developed.

Stoughton Street between Lincoln Avenue and Gregory Street is a 28-foot wide street with parking restricted on the north side of the street. A request to restrict parking on the south side of the street, near the First Mennonite Church parking lot, was discussed by the Commissioners who felt that eliminating parking in this area was not desirable. To provide more visibility for those leaving the parking lot, parking spaces were more clearly defined to avoid losing any spaces. Parking will be restricted between 33 feet west and 121 feet west of the centerline of Lincoln Avenue.

The Traffic Commission has considered this location at its May 2009 meeting and recommends that the ordinance be passed by the City Council.

Prepared by: _____
Joseph L. Smith, P.E.
Senior Civil Engineer

Approved by: _____
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

(Rainbow View; Stoughton 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>
Rainbow View	From the centerline of Abercorn Street to the centerline of Ogelthorpe Avenue	South Side
Stoughton Street	From 33 feet west of the centerline of Lincoln Avenue to 121 feet west of the centerline of Lincoln Avenue	South 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.

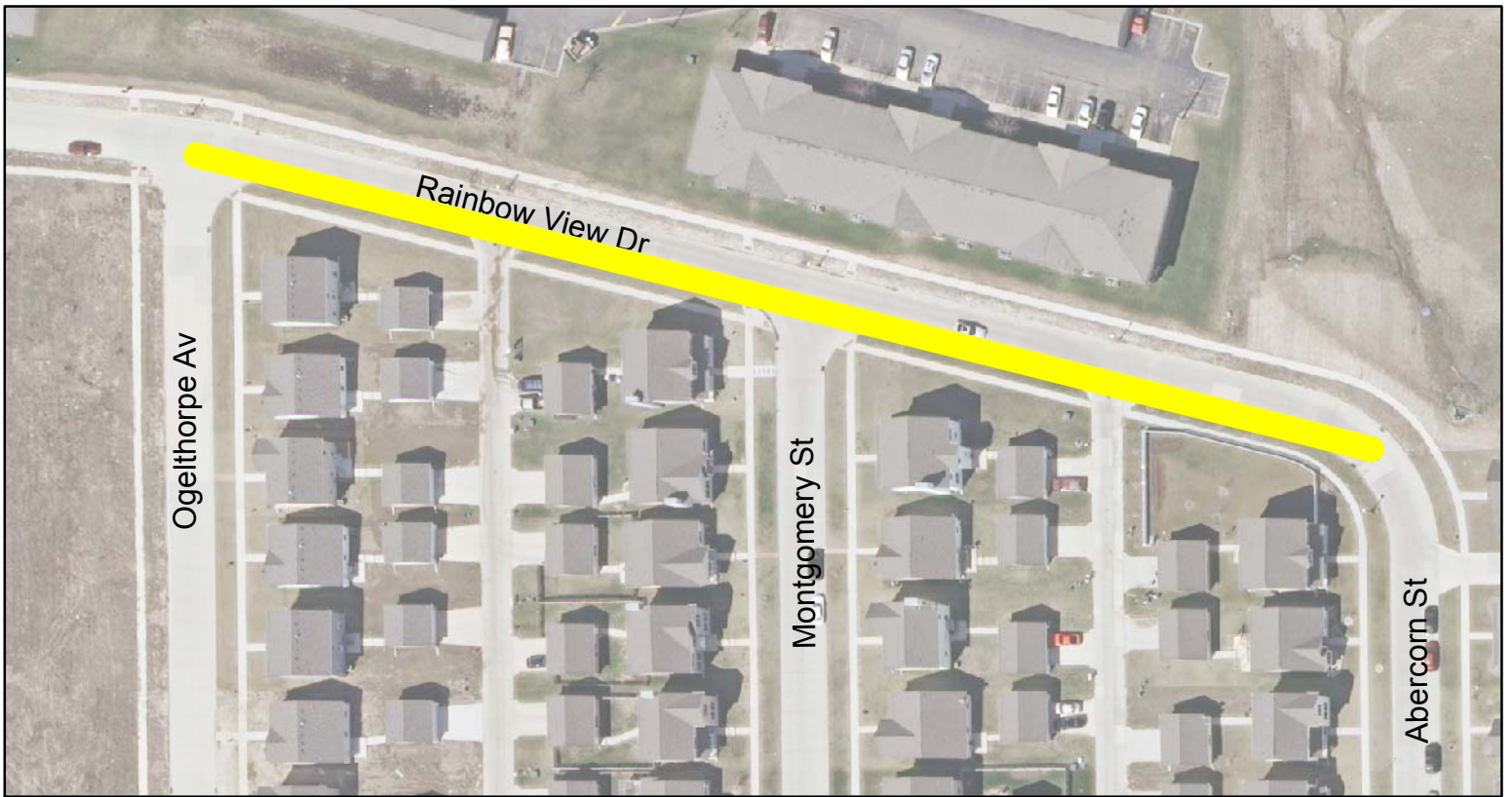
I certify that on the _____ day of _____, the corporate authorities of the City of Urbana passed and approved Ordinance No. _____, entitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SCHEDULE J OF SECTION 23-183 OF THE URBANA LOCAL TRAFFIC CODE PROHIBITING PARKING AT ALL TIMES ON CERTAIN STREETS (Rainbow View; Stoughton 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 _____,
_____.

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CITY CLERK



Proposed No Parking- Rainbow View
From the centerline of Abercorn St to the
centerline of Ogelthorpe Av - south side of street.



City of Urbana
 Public Works Dept
 Engineering Division
 Date: 05.19.09



Proposed No Parking- Stoughton Street
From 33 feet west of Lincoln Av centerline to 121 feet
west of Lincoln Av centerline - south side of street.



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