



TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

*Lori Schreiber, Chair
Drew Rothman, Vice-Chair
Ken Brodsky
Mike Thompson
Bill Bole*

A G E N D A **February 5, 2020** **7:00 P.M.**

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Motion to approve Committee Meeting minutes of December 4, 2019

4. PRESENTATION
5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
6. NEW BUSINESS

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE COMMISSIONER LORI SCHREIBER, CHAIR

- a. **PS-01-021320** Consider a motion to advertise Ordinance No. 2172, amending Chapter 156 - "Vehicles and Traffic," Article II - "Traffic Regulations," Section 7 - "Speed Limits Established," Section 14 - "Stop Intersections," and Article III - "Parking Regulations," Section 25 - "Parking Prohibited At All Times; No Parking Between Signs; No Parking Here to Corner; Parking Prohibited Except Certain Hours; No Stopping or Standing," Section 26 - "Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours," Section 27 - "Parking Time Limited" and Section 28 - "Special Purpose Parking Zones" to add speed limits on Oak Hill Drive and Hidden Pond Drive; add stop intersections on the East and West side of Shoemaker Road at Edmund Road and on the East and West side of Ferndale Avenue at Rubicam Avenue, add no parking on both sides of Huntingdon Pike and the East side of Lindsay Lane, add no parking here to corner on the East side of Kelly Lane, add no parking M-F 8am-5pm on Lindsay Lane - West side, add 2-hour parking on Tague Avenue and add handicapped parking on Tyson Avenue.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT
8. ADJOURNMENT



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

AGENDA ITEM

January 29, 2020

DATE

Police

DEPARTMENT

PS-01-021320

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER

FISCAL IMPACT

Cost > \$10,000.

Yes

No

PUBLIC BID REQUIRED

Cost > \$20,100

Yes

No

AGENDA ITEM:

Advertise Ordinance No. 2172

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Ordinance No. 2172 amending Chapter 156 - "Vehicles and Traffic," Article II - "Traffic Regulations," Section 7 - "Speed Limits Established," Section 14 - "Stop Intersections," and Article III - "Parking Regulations," Section 25 - "Parking Prohibited At All Times; No Parking Between Signs; No Parking Here to Corner; Parking Prohibited Except Certain Hours; No Stopping or Standing," Section 26 - "Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours," Section 27 - "Parking Time Limited" and Section 28 - "Special Purpose Parking Zones" to add speed limits on Oak Hill Drive and Hidden Pond Drive; add stop intersections on the East and West side of Shoemaker Road at Edmund Road and on the East and West side of Ferndale Avenue at Rubicam Avenue, add no parking on both sides of Huntingdon Pike and the East side of Lindsay Lane, add no parking here to corner on the East side of Kelly Lane, add no parking M-F 8am-5pm on Lindsay Lane - West side, add 2-hour parking on Tague Avenue and add handicapped parking on Tyson Avenue.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTIONS:

Not applicable

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION:

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TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON

Office of the Township Manager

Richard J. Manfredi
Township Manager

FISCAL NOTE

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: PS-01-021320

DATE INTRODUCED: 1/29/20

FISCAL IMPACT AMOUNT:

FUND:

FISCAL IMPACT:

YES

NO

FISCAL IMPACT

Cost > \$10,000.

Yes

No

SUMMARY

Total fiscal impact of this ordinance is \$3,260.91

ANALYSIS

2 Stop Signs, including labor: \$122.54 each, Total: \$245.08

2 Stop Bars, including labor: \$76.37 each, Total: \$152.74

2 Stop Ahead signs, including labor: \$141.22 each, Total: \$282.44

4 ALL WAY stop signs, including labor \$22.82 each, Total: \$91.28

3 Two-Hour Parking signs, including labor: \$97.24 each, Total: \$291.72

20 No Parking signs, including labor: \$99.44 each, Total: \$1,988.80

1 No Parking Here to Corner sign: \$99.44 each, Total: \$99.44

1 Handicapped Parking sign: \$109.41 each, Total: \$109.41

**TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE NO. 2172

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
CHAPTER 156 – “VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC;”
ARTICLE II – “TRAFFIC REGULATIONS;”
SECTION 7 – “SPEED LIMITS ESTABLISHED;”
SECTION 14 – “STOP INTERSECTIONS;” AND
ARTICLE III – “PARKING REGULATIONS”
SECTION 25 – “PARKING PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES; NO PARKING BETWEEN
SIGNS; NO PARKING HERE TO CORNER; PARKING PROHIBITED EXCEPT
CERTAIN HOURS; NO STOPPING OR STANDING”
SECTION 26 – “PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS”
SECTION 27 – “PARKING TIME LIMITED”
SECTION 28 – “SPECIAL PURPOSE PARKING ZONES”**

WHEREAS, the Township of Abington is a Township of the First Class, duly organized and existing pursuant to the applicable laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 1502.44 of the First Class Township Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 53 P.S. §56544, the Board of Commissioners has the authority to enact and amend provisions of the Abington Township Code (“Code”) at any time it deems necessary for the health, safety, morals, general welfare, cleanliness, beauty, convenience and comfort of the Township and the inhabitants thereof; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 1502.10 of the First Class Township Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 53 P.S. §56510, the Board of Commissioners has the authority to take all needful means for securing the safety of persons or property within the Township; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 1502.49 of the First Class Township Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 53 P.S. §56549, the Board of Commissioners has the authority to regulate traffic and parking; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Abington has determined that the Code of Ordinances of the Township of Abington shall be amended at Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article II – “Traffic Regulations,” Sections 9.2 – “No Left Turn,” 11 – “Turns at Intersections,” and 14 - “Stop Intersections,” and Article III – “Parking Regulations,” Sections 25 – “Parking Prohibited at All Times; No Parking Between Signs; No Parking Here to Corner, Parking Prohibited Except Certain Hours, No Stopping and Standing,” and 27 – “Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours,” Section 28 – “Special Purpose Parking Zones,” should be amended for the health, safety, morals, general welfare, cleanliness, beauty, convenience and comfort of the Township and the inhabitants thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Abington does hereby **ENACT** and **ORDAIN** as follows:

1. The Code of the Township of Abington is amended at Chapter 156 - “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article II – “Traffic Regulations,” at Section 7 – “Speed Limits Established,” to **add** the following restrictions:

Name of Highway	Speed Limit	Location
Oak Hill Drive	15 MPH	Entire Tall Trees Development
Hidden Pond Drive	15 MPH	Entire Tall Trees Development

2. The Code of the Township of Abington is amended at Chapter 156 - “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article II – “Traffic Regulations,” at Section 14 – “Stop Intersections,” to **add** the following restrictions:

Stop Sign On	Direction of Travel	At Intersection of
Shoemaker Road	East Side	Edmund Road
Shoemaker Road	West Side	Edmund Road
Ferndale Avenue	East Side	Rubicam Avenue
Ferndale Avenue	West Side	Rubicam Avenue

3. The Code of the Township of Abington is amended at Chapter 156 - “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article III – “Parking Regulations,” at Section 25 – “Parking Prohibited at All Times; No Parking Between Signs; No Parking Here to Corner, Parking Prohibited Except Certain Hours, No Stopping or Standing” to **add** the following restrictions:

No Parking	Side	Location
Huntingdon Pike	Both Sides	From Pennypack Creek to Holy Redeemer Hospital
Lindsay Lane	East Side	From Randolph Road to Gilbert Road
No Parking Here to Corner	Side	Location
Kelly Lane	East	At Tague Ave.

4. Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article III, “Parking Regulations,” Section 26 – “Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours” shall be amended to **add** the following restrictions:

No Parking M-F 8am-5pm	Side	Location
Lindsay Lane	West Side	From Randolph Road to just across the street, south edge of 1349 Lindsay Lane

5. Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article III, “Parking Regulations,” Section 27 –
 “Parking Time Limited” shall be amended to **add** the following restrictions:

2-Hour Parking	Side	Location
Tague Avenue		From 2315 to 2321

6. Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article III, “Parking Regulations,” Section 28 –
 “Special Purpose Parking Zones” shall be amended to **add** the following restrictions:

Name of Highway	Authorized Purpose of Vehicle	Location
Tyson Avenue	Handicapped Parking	In front of 782 Tyson Ave.

7. Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” Article III, “Parking Regulations,” Section 28 -
 “Special Purpose Parking Zones” shall be amended to **remove** the following restrictions:

No Parking	Side	Location
Lindsay Lane	Both Sides	From 1315 Lindsay Lane to Mill Road
Lindsay Lane	Both Sides	From 1310 Lindsay Lane to the Meadowbrook Train Station

8. All other ordinances, portions of ordinances, or any section of the Code inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

9. This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after enactment.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED this _____ day of _____, 2020.

TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Attest:

Richard J. Manfredi,
Township Manager & Secretary

By: _____
John L. Spiegelman, President