

TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON

(3) PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

April 5, 2017

7:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

**ROLL CALL: SCHREIBER – DiPLACIDO – BOWMAN – SPIEGELMAN,
KALINOSKI**

**Township Manager LEFEVRE
Assistant Township Manager WEHMEYER
Township Solicitor CLARKE
Fire Marshal CLARK
Chief of Police LIVINGOOD
Traffic Safety Officer FREED**

MINUTES:

Motion to approve the minutes of the March 1, 2017 Public Safety Committee Meeting.

Police Department – Call on Chief Livingood

PS1. Ordinance No. 2137 – To Amend Chapter 156 (“Vehicles and Traffic”), 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

Motion to adopt Ordinance No. 2137 amending Chapter 156 (Vehicles and Traffic), 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) at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Commissioners on April 13, 2017 at 7:30 PM.

PS2. Ordinance No. 2138 – To Amend Chapter 156 “Vehicles and Traffic”, Article II (Traffic Regulations) 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)

Motion to advertise Ordinance No. 2138 amending Chapter 156 (Vehicles and Traffic) Article II (Traffic Regulations) Section 14 – (Stop Intersections) and Article III (Parking Regulations) Section 25 – (Parking Prohibited Except Certain Hours; No Stopping Or Standing) for adoption at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Commissioners on May 11, 2017 at 7:30 PM.

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
BOARD ACTION REQUEST**

April 5, 2017

Date

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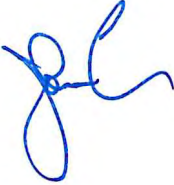
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Department

Agenda Item

Township Manager

Police



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Times; No Parking Between Signs;
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Stopping Or Standing"



Previous Action

On March 9, 2017 at a regularly scheduled meeting, the Board of Commissioners approved a motion to advertise Ordinance No. 2137 for adoption on April 13, 2017.

Recommend Board Action

Motion to adopt Ordinance No. 2137 (attached) amending Chapter 156 (Vehicles and Traffic) 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) at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Commissioners on April 13, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

Comments

Ordinance No. 2137 (attached) will **establish** the following:

No Parking Here to Corner on the east and west sides of Keswick Avenue 20 feet north and south of the existing crosswalks at Sylvania Avenue.

- Approved by Commissioner Gillespie (Ward 13)

**TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE NO. 2137

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 156 – “VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC,”
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”**

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 parking; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Abington has determined that Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” 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,” 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:

- Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” 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,” shall be amended to **add** the following restrictions:

Name of Highway	Side	Location
Keswick Avenue	East & West	20 feet north and south of the existing crosswalks at Sylvania Avenue

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

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

ORDAINED AND ENACTED this _____ day of _____, 2017.

TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Attest:

Michael LeFevre, Secretary

By: _____
Wayne C. Luker, President

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
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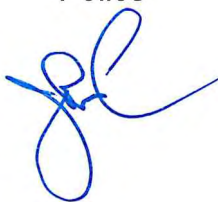
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Previous Action

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Comments

Ordinance No. 2138 (attached) will **establish** the following:

Stop Signs on Rodman Avenue eastbound and westbound at Upland Avenue

- Approved by Commissioner Sanchez (Ward 7) and the Administration

No Parking Here to Corner on the north side of Ray Street 60 feet east of Rena Street

- Approved by Commissioner DiPlacido (Ward 4)

No Parking Here to Corner on the west side of Tulpehocken Avenue 30 feet south of Township Line Road

- Approved by Commissioner DiPlacido (Ward 4)

No Parking Here to Corner on the north side of Woodrow Avenue 30 feet east of Garfield Avenue

- Approved by Commissioner Zappone (Ward 9)

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Stop Sign On	Direction of Travel	At Intersection Of
Rodman Avenue	Eastbound and westbound	Upland Avenue

2. Chapter 156 – “Vehicles and Traffic,” 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,” shall be amended to **add** the following restrictions:

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Ray Street	North	60 feet east of Rena Street
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