

ORDINANCE 2018-11

BOROUGH OF HIGHTSTOWN
COUNTY OF MERCER
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

AMENDING CHAPTER 7, ENTITLED "TRAFFIC", SUBSECTION 7-14-1. ENTITLED "PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS ON CERTAIN STREETS" OF THE *REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF HIGHTSTOWN*

WHEREAS, It has been determined by the Borough Administrator, Police Chief, East Windsor Regional School Superintendent, and East Windsor Regional School Administrator in conjunction with the Mercer County Engineer, that the crosswalk at the intersection of Stockton Street and Oak Lane, which contains a school crossing post for both Walter C. Black School and Grace N. Rogers School, will be moved to the intersection of Stockton Street and Joseph Street for the safety of students and pedestrians; and

WHEREAS, this change in crosswalk location will effectuate more pedestrian and student traffic on Joseph Street during school hours; and

WHEREAS, The Hightstown Police Chief and East Windsor Regional School Superintendent, as well as the Principals of both schools, have expressed concern with the narrowness of Joseph Street and the obstruction of visibility of the students when using the sidewalk, as well as the ability of busses to pass when vehicles are parked on Joseph Street; and

WHEREAS, the Hightstown Police Chief has recommended that parking on both sides of Joseph Street be restricted Monday through Friday from 7:30am to 3:30pm, to assure the safety of the students and permit bus traffic to pass without incident; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Council of Hightstown Borough agree with said recommendation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hightstown as follows:

1. Section 1. Chapter 7, entitled "Traffic", Subsection 7-14-1, entitled "Parking" of the *Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Hightstown* is hereby amended as follows (deletions are crossed out; additions are underlined):

Section 7-14

PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS ON CERTAIN STREETS

Subsections:

7-14-1 **Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours on Certain Streets.**

Subsection 7-14-1 **Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours on Certain Streets.**

No person shall park a vehicle between the hours specified any day (except Sundays and public holidays) upon any of the streets or parts of streets described.

Name of Street	Side	Hours/Days	Location
Glen Drive	Both	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./ Monday thru Friday	From Spring Crest Drive to end

<u>Joseph Street</u>	Both	7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m./ Monday thru Friday	Entire Length
Leshin Lane	Both	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./ Monday thru Friday	From South Main Street to Westerlea Avenue
Monmouth Street	South	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	From North Main Street to Pennsylvania Railroad tracks
Rogers Avenue	South	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	From Stockton Street to Railroad Avenue
Spring Crest Drive	Both	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./ Monday thru Friday	From South Main Street to Westerlea Avenue
Spruce Court	Both	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./ Monday thru Friday	From Leshin Lane to end of Spruce Court, including the cul-de-sac

Section 2. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon final passage and publication in accordance with the law.

Section 3. All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 4. In the event that any portion of this Ordinance is found to be invalid for any reason by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall be limited in its effect only to that portion of the Ordinance actually adjudged to be invalid, and the remaining portions of this Ordinance shall be deemed severable therefrom and shall not be affected.

Introduction: May 7, 2018

Adoption:

ATTEST:

DEBRA L. SOPRONYI
MUNICIPAL CLERK

LAWRENCE D. QUATTRONE
MAYOR