

1. 1. Agenda

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[1. 2016-07-19 GENERAL AFFAIRS AGENDA.PDF](#)

2. 2. Consider No Truck Parking Signage Along 12th Street NW

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[2. CONSIDER NO TRUCK PARKING SIGNAGE ALONG 12TH STREET NW.PDF](#)



**City Council General Affairs Committee
Immediately following the
6 pm Joint Committee
Tuesday, July 19, 2016
City Hall – Council Chambers**

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Consider No Truck Parking Signage along 12th Street NW
3. Adjourn

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Council Committee Memorandum

TO: Joint Council Committee
FROM: Brian J. Anderson, City Administrator
THROUGH: Travis Block, Public Works Director
MEETING DATE: July 19, 2016
SUBJECT: No Truck Parking Signage Installation on 12th ST NW and Stop Sign Installation on 3rd AVE NW

Background:

Residents expressed concerns regarding on-street semi-truck parking obstructing driveways of residents on 12th ST NW at the June 28th Council meeting. The truck traffic is coming from Jennie-O Turkey Store. City code section 15-41 regulates the on-street parking of semi-trucks:

Sec. 15-41. - Engineer's authority to prohibit truck parking pursuant to council resolution.

The council upon recommendation of the city engineer, may authorize and direct the engineer by resolution to immediately prohibit the parking of trucks on any streets in the city by placing and posting adequate and visible "No Truck Parking" signs at duly authorized locations.

Discussion:

According to some residents on 12th ST NW, Trucks from the Turkey Store are parking on the street to perform equipment inspections. During this time of the inspections residents are not able to enter or leave their driveway. One resident indicated that they have been previously blocked in and unable to get out.

As an **option to attempt to mitigate this condition would be to install "No Truck Parking"** signs could be installed along that stretch of 12th ST NW. These signs would be specially aimed towards the truck traffic using the street, while allowing for the current on-street parking to continue.

Additionally, the installation of stop signs on 3rd AVE NW at 11th ST NW could be considered. Crash records indicate that five accidents have occurred at this location since 2013. The installation of stop signs would provide traffic flow improvements.

Recommendation:

Staff is recommending the installation of two "No Truck Parking" signs on each side of 12th ST NW, and stop signs on 3rd AVE NW at 11th ST NW.

Attachment:

Map

12th ST NW

