



Engineering Department

MEMO

To: Dave Plyman, City Manager

CC: Tim Isley, Supt. of Streets

Alan Cooper, City Attorney (via council packet)

Brent Wagner, City Attorney (via council packet)

From: Sam Tesreau, City Engineer

Date: November 21, 2016

Re: An ordinance amending section 94-224 of the municipal code of the City of Rochelle to prohibit parking along the southerly 100 feet along the east side of Brookside Drive

Encl: (1) An ordinance amending section 94-224 of the municipal code of the City of Rochelle to prohibit parking along the southerly 100 feet along the east side of Brookside Drive

- 1) In July 2016 residents approached the City Council and staff regarding a parking issue along Brookside Drive north of Illinois Rte. 38. Residents that attended the council meeting expressed concern of parking on both sides of the street and the ability of emergency vehicles to navigate down the street especially off of IL Rte. 38. A signed petition, which represents many of the homeowners and residents from Illinois Rte. 38 to the northerly terminus of the Brookside, was presented at the meeting.
- 2) City Council reviewed staff's recommendation to eliminate parking on the west side of Brookside Drive and the first 100 feet north of Ill Route 38 along the east side of Brookside Drive at the October 11th and 24th council meetings. After much discussion Council determined that the parking would remain on both sides of the street with the exception of the southerly 100 feet, as measured from the northerly right-of-way line of IL Rte 38, along the east side of Brookside Drive. As a result the original ordinance, as proposed by staff, has been revised to prohibit parking along the southerly 100 feet along the east side of Brookside Drive.
- 3) Please consider approval of enclosure (1) amending section 94-224 of the Rochelle Municipal Code and other applicable sections as may be required.