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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and Council
From: James J. Purcell, PE, *Assistant Municipal Engineer*
Subject: Hun Road Parking Restrictions – Ordinance Amendment
Date: August 7, 2026

Attached for your consideration is amendment to the proposed ordinance to amend parking regulations on Hun Road that was introduced at the July 27, 2026 Council meeting.

The Department of Infrastructure & Operations had received complaints regarding motor vehicles parking on both sides of Hun Road. Upon investigation, it was noted that the parking on both sides was resulting in a reduced travelway of between 10 and 12 feet. Hun Road is a residential 2-way street and, when vehicles are parked on both sides, it becomes unsafe for any vehicle to pass, particularly large vehicles such as DPW branch collection equipment or fire apparatus.



The ordinance as introduced would prohibit parking on one side of Hun Road, similar to the restriction on the adjacent Russell Road.

After introduction, the Department of Infrastructure & Operations heard from many of the residents on Hun Road who were concerned that the restrictions were being placed on the wrong side of the road. The Engineering Department re-evaluated the recommendation and found that there is no compelling reason to allow parking on a particular side of the road. Given the neighborhood preference, Engineering is recommending that the ordinance be amended to prohibit parking on the even side of Hun Road.

We have checked with the Municipal Attorney, and she has advised that if the Council agrees with this recommendation, one of the members may make a motion to amend the introduced ordinance to change the word “odd” in the phrase “odd-numbered side” to “even” such that the ordinance will read “No person shall park any vehicle on any of the following streets or parts of streets at any time:

Hun Road, even-numbered side, entire length”

She has further advised that if the motion to amend passes, the Council should set a date for a public hearing on the ordinance as amended. The amended ordinance and new hearing date will then be advertised to the public.

Please contact me with any questions regarding this matter.