

CITY COUNCIL

The City of Orange Township, New Jersey

DATE _____

NUMBER 14-2023

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PART II GENERAL LEGISLATION/VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, ARTICLE XII SCHEDULES, 200-34 SCHEDULE III: NO STOPPING OR STANDING, TO ADD ADDITIONAL INTERSECTIONS AND TO PLACE SIGNS STATING NO STOPPING/NO STANDING AT ALL APPROPRIATE INTERSECTIONS (Submitted by Councilmember-At-Large Adrienne Wooten)

WHEREAS, the very first traffic signs were simple stone columns; and

WHEREAS, the Romans used them to let travelers know how close they were to the city; and

WHEREAS, traffic signs as we know them began to appear with the invention of the bicycle, as cyclists needed signs that warned them about obstacles; and

WHEREAS, these signs continued to evolve as cars hit the roads; and

WHEREAS, traffic signs provide consistent rules for all drivers; and

WHEREAS, anyone can understand them; and

WHEREAS, traffic signs give warnings about things that aren't necessarily obvious; and

WHEREAS, it has become necessary to place traffic signs at all intersections where No Stopping/No Stopping rules apply; and

WHEREAS, no stopping can be defined as that you cannot stop for any reason – to drop off or pick up passengers, to wait for people to arrive, or to load or unload merchandise; and

WHEREAS, any violation of this ordinance is punishable by law; and

WHEREAS, the only time that you should ever stop at one of these signs is if it is a true emergency or if you are directed to do so by a police officer.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Municipal Council of the City of Orange Township do amend Part II General Legislation/Vehicles and Traffic, Article XII Schedules, 200-34 Schedule III: No Stopping or Standing, to add additional intersections and to place signs stating No Stopping/No Standing at all appropriate intersections.

SECTION 1: PROVISIONS

200-34 Schedule III: No Stopping or Standing.

In accordance with the provisions of § 200-8, no person shall stop or stand a vehicle between the

times specified upon any of the following described streets or parts of streets:

Name of Street	Side	Hours/Days	Location
Central Avenue	North	All	From South Jefferson west for 110 feet
<u>Scotland Road</u>	Both	<u>All</u>	<u>From Central Avenue to Mitchell Street</u>
<u>Main Street</u>	Both	<u>All</u>	<u>From High Street to Lincoln Avenue</u>

Signs stating No Stopping or Standing shall be placed at all listed intersections of this ordinance.

SECTION 2: INCONSISTENCIES

All other ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed but only to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

SECTION 3: PURPOSE

All headings within this ordinance are for convenience only and are not deemed to be part of this ordinance.

SECTION 4: FISCAL IMPACT None

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE This ordinance shall take effect as required by law.

Adopted: April 18, 2023

Joyce L. Lanier
City Clerk

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Council President