

Parking Study Committee Minutes March 12

Meetings were called to order and seconded by all.

Committee Make-up:

Members -

Chairman – Bob DeCoste

Communication – Amy Lemkin

Committee – Amy Lemkin, Bob DeCosta, Moe Fischel, Audrey Cassavoy, John Brannan, Dennis Zaia, (plus Jim Canavan)

Attendance – all but Dennis.

Chief Billings in attendance, and focused meeting on the following:

- 1) made and accepted motions to recommend:
 - a. Violators will be subject to receiving additional ticket every 4 hours within the restricted/resident areas.
 - b. ticket violations be increased from \$40 to \$50
- 2) Discussed with Chief Billings that our preference for location of 6 new HPC signs, but left decision up to Chief where to install at his discretion
- 3) Discussed that the Violation Appeal process needs improvement, and Chief suggests that a non-Police member spend 20 hours a week working on such.

2013 Goals

Pay Stations will be part of the 2013 HPC goals

Possible time table.

April 23rd meeting with vendor – check with Moe F.

May 14th meeting to discuss RFP and gather locations

June 11th prepare draft RFP

July 9th finalize RFP send to town council/ town manager for review

approval

Sept 10th review RFP for any changes from tc/tm present to selectman in September with the following time table

October 1,2012- RFP published/sent out

October 15,2012- site walk through/ questions answered

November 29th - RFP's due at town hall by 3:00PM

Reviewed and voted to send following letter to BOS

Chairman Reilly,

I wanted to send you a quick note to brief you and the Board of Selectman on the progress the parking committee has made since we last were before your board.

1) RESTRICTED PARKING

We held a public meeting with the residents of Sagamore Hill, Hampton Circle and Bay Street on 2/13/12. As a result of this meeting, we came to the conclusion that the residents of Sagamore Hill and Bay street need some relief from the parking problems they are facing especially during the summer months. After hearing from the residents of Hampton Circle, we determined that there is no need at this time for parking restrictions.

We are now finalizing our recommendations on adding the area of Bay Street and Sagamore Hill to the restricted area parking program and plan on having a public meeting on Monday, March 26th to inform the residents and hear their input. We will then finalize our recommendations at our meeting on April 9th.

PARKING TICKETS

We will be recommending two changes in the restricted area parking sticker program. The first one is to raise the parking ticket fee for a parking violation from \$40 to \$50. The second one states "any vehicle ticketed due to violation of the resident restricted parking zone shall be subject to an receiving an additional parking ticket after 4 hours if they have not

corrected the situation within the resident restricted area.

PARKING METERS / PAY STATIONS

We are planning to bring in a representative from a parking pay station manufacturer to explain the pay station process and give the committee a presentation. We will let you know when we confirm this date as we the committee feels it would be of great benefit for yourself, the Town Manager, Head of the DPW and the Police Chief to be in attendance for this meeting.

Lastly,

I am requesting that we can be placed on your agenda at your earliest opportunity after April 9th, so we may bring to the Board of Selectman these requests formally. Thank you .

PARKING STUDY COMMITTEE PRESS RELEASE

The Parking Study Committee will be holding a public meeting at Hull Town Hall on Monday, March 26, 2012 at 6:30 PM. At this meeting the committee will be sharing its recommendation to add the following sections of town to the town of Hull Restricted Parking Program: Bay St. (South entrance) at George Washington Blvd to Bay Street (North entrance) at Nantasket Ave and Water St. and all of Sagamore Hill.

Sagamore Hill will include all streets on the hill including Marginal Road and Moreland Ave. These recommendations are a direct result of the committee's meeting with residents February 13th. Residents with any comments should either attend this meeting or email the chairman at hullparking12@gmail.com

Submitted by

Bob DeCoste
Parking Committee Chair