

Alderman Brian Hopkins 2nd Ward – City of Chicago Residential Zone Parking Petition

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The Residential Permit Parking Program in the City of Chicago is intended to restrict parking on select residential streets during specified hours, except for the residents of that street whose vehicles display a valid parking permit, guests of the residents or those who provide a service to the residents. This program helps to ensure that residents of densely populated areas have reasonable access to parking near their residences and those cars parked in violation of this ordinance will be ticketed (\$60).

HOW IS THIS DONE?

Signs are erected on the streets which are requested by the Alderman of the ward and passed by ordinance in City Council. A petition clearly stating the parking problem, the time periods for the parking restriction and signed by 75% of city vehicle sticker owners must be submitted. Residential parking zones are a minimum of one contiguous block. When the ordinance is introduced, a parking survey by the Department of Revenue is conducted to determine if the following requirements are met:

- The block of the residential street is zoned R1, R2, R3, R4 or R5
- A parking study determines 45% of the vehicles parked in the proposed zone during the time requested are not owned by residents.

Once the ordinance is passed by Committee and City Council, the signs are posted by the Department of Transportation (Signs and Markings). These signs specify Residential Permit Parking, the days and times the parking restrictions apply, and the zone number.

The current fee for a Residential Parking Permit is \$25.00. All Residential Parking Permits now expire each year on June 30 and are printed within a valid Chicago City Sticker. 1-Day Residential Parking Permit Guest passes (which are valid for 24 hours from the time of posting), are available to area residents in pack of 15 for \$8.00 per pack (limit 2 every 30 days). If a resident of the zone block has other means of parking (i.e. personal garage or lot) the zone does not need to mandatorily be purchased.

Office of the Chicago City Clerk that sell Residential parking Permits & Guest Passes:

121 N. LaSalle-Room 107 (312) 744-5346 5674 S. Archer Unit A (312) 745-1100

5430 W. Gale Street (312) 742-5318

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