ORDINANCE NO. 10-0-0055

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WEST CHICAGO – CHAPTER 17, ARTICLE XIV, STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING

WHEREAS, the City of West Chicago is authorized, pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1 et. seq., to establish requirements relating to the regulation of parking; and,

WHEREAS, the City of West Chicago is a home rule unit under subsection (a) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of West Chicago has determined that it is reasonable and in the best interest for the City to ensure that there is parking available to the general public in the Turner Junction Historic District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of West Chicago, DuPage County, Illinois, in regular session assembled, as follows:

Section 1. That Chapter 17, Article XIV, Section 17-122, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of West Chicago, as set forth below be added:

"Sec. 17-122 Turner Court Parking Lot.

- (a) Location. The Turner Court Parking Lot is the parking lot operated by the City of West Chicago, generally located west of Turner Court, south of Washington Street.
- (b) Designations. The Turner Court Parking Lot shall be designated and posted as daily free parking and overnight permit parking only. It shall be unlawful to park or to allow a vehicle to be parked in the Turner Court Parking Lot in

violation of any provision of the Code of Ordinances or any section of the Illinois Vehicle Code pertaining to the parking of motor vehicles.

(c) *General parking restrictions*. It shall be unlawful for the owner of a vehicle to allow that vehicle to be parked:

- In any location within the Turner Court Parking Lot which is not a designated/marked parking space;
- In any manner other than a "head-in" position, with the vehicle driven forward into the parking space;
- In any designated handicapped parking space or portion of a handicapped parking space without displaying an official handicapped parking permit, sticker or vehicle registration plates;
- Overnight without a parking permit issued by the City of West Chicago.
 Overnight shall be defined as after 2:00 a.m. and prior to 5:00 a.m.;
- 5) In a parking space in excess of seventy-two consecutive hours.
- (d) *Hours of operation*. The Turner Court Parking Lot shall be open and the parking regulations enforced on a twenty-four hour basis each day with each day commencing at 12:00 a.m. and ending at 11:59 p.m.
- (e) Permit parking. Parking permits for residents that live in the Turner Junction Historic District are available at the West Chicago Police Department. A maximum of two permits shall be issued to each household, with a maximum of 45 total parking permits issued. Vehicles shall display a valid City of West Chicago Turner Court Parking Lot Permit in clear view hanging from the rear view mirror with the side showing the permit number and expiration date facing the front of the vehicle.
- (f) *Remedies.* The owner of any vehicle in violation of this Section shall be subject to fine as provided in Sec. 17-120, and the vehicle subject to towing."

<u>Section 2.</u> That all ordinances and resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, expressly repealed.

<u>Section 3.</u> This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

PASSED this _____ day of ______ 2010.

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APPROVED as to form: _____

City Attorney

APPROVED this _____ day of _____ 2010.

ATTEST:

Mayor Michael B. Kwasman

Nancy M. Smith, City Clerk

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