

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN,
OKLAHOMA PROHIBITING ON-STREET PARKING ON THE 100
BLOCK OF APACHE STREET AND SYMMES STREET ON ONE
SIDE OF THE STREET AND ELIMINATING ON-STREET PARKING
ON JENKINS AVENUE/JAMES GARNER AVENUE FROM DUFFY
STREET TO COMANCHE STREET.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is empowered by 11 Oklahoma Statutes § 36-101 to regulate and control the use of streets, roads and other public ways within the City limits; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, Section 20-807 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Norman forbids parking where prohibited by sign; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, historically, the City has responded to neighborhood requests for the establishment of No Parking zones in accordance to Public Works Procedure 3-001, which requires a petition signed by at least 60% of the residents affected by the proposed No Parking designation; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, local streets are generally 26 feet in width, and on-street parking on both sides of the street utilizes at least 16 feet of the road width, leaving 10 feet (one-lane) for vehicle passage; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, although many local streets allow parking along both sides of the street, most of such streets have minimal traffic (less than 200 vehicles per day); and
- § 6. WHEREAS, certain emergency vehicles require 15 feet of width to drive safely down a local street; and
- § 7. WHEREAS, certain local streets in the Campus area accommodate over 200 vehicles per day and consistent on street parking on both sides of the street, and Council believes may present a safety hazard; and
- § 8. WHEREAS, Council desires to address the public safety concerns and take action to limit on-street parking on those local streets without having received a petition signed by 60% of the affected property owners; and
- § 9. WHEREAS, the 100 block of West Symmes Street, the 100 block of West Apache Street, and James Garner/Jenkins Avenue between Duffy Street and Comanche Street have been identified by Council as posing safety concerns due to parking on both sides of the street and Council desires to limit on-street parking in those areas.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- §10. That, on-street parking on the 100 block of West Symmes Street should be prohibited on the South side of the street.
- § 11. That, on-street parking on the 100 block of West Apache Street, should be prohibited to the South side of the street.
- § 12. That, on-street parking on James Garner Avenue/Jenkins Avenue, between Duffy Street and Comanche Street should be restricted on both sides of the street.
- § 13. That, Staff is directed to post No Parking signs on Apache Street, Symmes Street and James Garner/Jenkins Avenue as designated herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2018.

Mayor

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk