



CITY OF CONCORD

REPORT TO MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Matthew R. Walsh, Director of Redevelopment, Downtown Services, and Special Projects

DATE: January 13, 2020

SUBJECT: Court Street Parking Meters

Recommendation:

Set the attached ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances; Title II, Traffic Code; Chapter 18, Parking, Article 18-3, Parking Meters for public hearing on March 9, 2020.

Background:

In accordance with Resolution #3043, which was adopted by the City Council on June 17, 2019, the City is installing 10 hour parking meters at on-street parking spaces located on Court Street. The meters will be operational in early January 2020.

Prior to the adoption of Resolution #3043, on-street parking spaces at Court Street were free 3-hour time zone spaces.

Discussion:

During the December 23, 2019 Parking Committee meeting, Mayor Bouley presented a proposal to reduce the number of metered parking spaces on Court Street. The Mayor reported that he had been approached by June Latti, owner of 10 Court Street, about the impending installation of parking meters. Ms. Latti owns the property located at 10 Court Street. The property has no on-site parking.

Given his discussions with Ms. Latti, the Mayor proposed that the City convert approximately 4 metered parking spaces to free spaces on Court Street. The free spaces would be located on the north side of Court Street, between Montgomery and North State Streets. Pavement markings for these spaces have been established. Subject to the City's 48 hour ordinance, there shall be no time limit for the free spaces. All other parking spaces located on Court Street between North Main and Montgomery Streets shall be 10 hour metered parking spaces in accordance with Ordinance #3043.

The Parking Committee voted to recommend that the City Council proceed with the proposal.