



TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL

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Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Legislation Text

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Amend Chapter 21-13 of the Town Code of Ordinances to Include an All-Way Stop at the Intersection of Henderson Street and North Street.

Staff:

Celisa Lehew, Chief
Lance Norris, Director
Roger Henderson, Transportation Engineering Manager

Department:

Police Department
Public Works

Overview: Enacting the ordinance will allow staff to install stops signs creating an all-way stop at the intersection of Henderson Street and North Street. This recommendation is in response to a petition on behalf of Cobb Terrace residents.



Recommendation(s):

That the Council enact the attached ordinance, which would amend and allow an all-way stop at the intersection of Henderson Street and North Street.

Key Issues:

- The Town maintains Henderson Street and North Street.
- Previously it was a two-way stop on Henderson Street and North Street.
- The travel lanes are narrow along both streets and there are limited pedestrian sidewalks along North Street.
- Town staff reviewed the concern and are amenable to the ordinance changes.

Fiscal Impact/Resources:

The staff estimate a \$500 cost for installing an additional two signs, including staff time. The Traffic Engineering Division operating budget could absorb this cost. Enforcement of the ordinance will have a minimal impact on the Police Department.



Attachments:

- Ordinance
- Petition
- Area Map

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 21 OF THE TOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES REGARDING RIGHT-OF-WAY AND STOP REGULATIONS (2023-05-24/O-1)

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill that Chapter 21, Article III, Section 21-13-Right-of-way and stop Regulations. of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, is hereby amended to as follows:

Section 1. Section 21-13(a) of the Town Code of Ordinances, "Right-of-way and stop Regulations" be amended to eliminate the following as Stop Streets:

"Through Street - ~~Henderson Street~~" and "Stop Street - ~~North Street~~"

Section 2. Section 21-13(c) of the Town Code of Ordinances, "Right-of-way and stop Regulations" be amended by inserting the following, in appropriate alphabetical order to add the following as All-Way Stop Streets:

"Intersection(s)

Henderson Street and North Street"

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon enactment.

This the 24th day of May, 2023.

The Agenda will reflect the text below and/or the motion text will be used during the meeting.

By enacting the ordinance, the Council establishes an all-way stop at the intersection of Henderson Street and North Street.