

**Memorandum
Public Works Department**



To: City Manager
Subject: Handicapped Parking Space
Date: December 19, 2012
Number: 2012-294

SOURCE OF REQUEST:

Herman Reed
3213 17th Avenue
Rock Island, IL 61201

NATURE OF REQUEST:

The Traffic Engineering Committee received a request from Herman Reed, 3213 17th Avenue, to install a handicapped parking space in front of his home.

MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES WARRANTS:

Not Applicable

CONTACTS WITH RESIDENTS:

Letters were sent to nearby neighbors. Seven (7) responses supported the request and none (0) opposed the request.

TRAFFIC STUDY INFORMATION:

None.

COST:

The cost to the city is minimal.

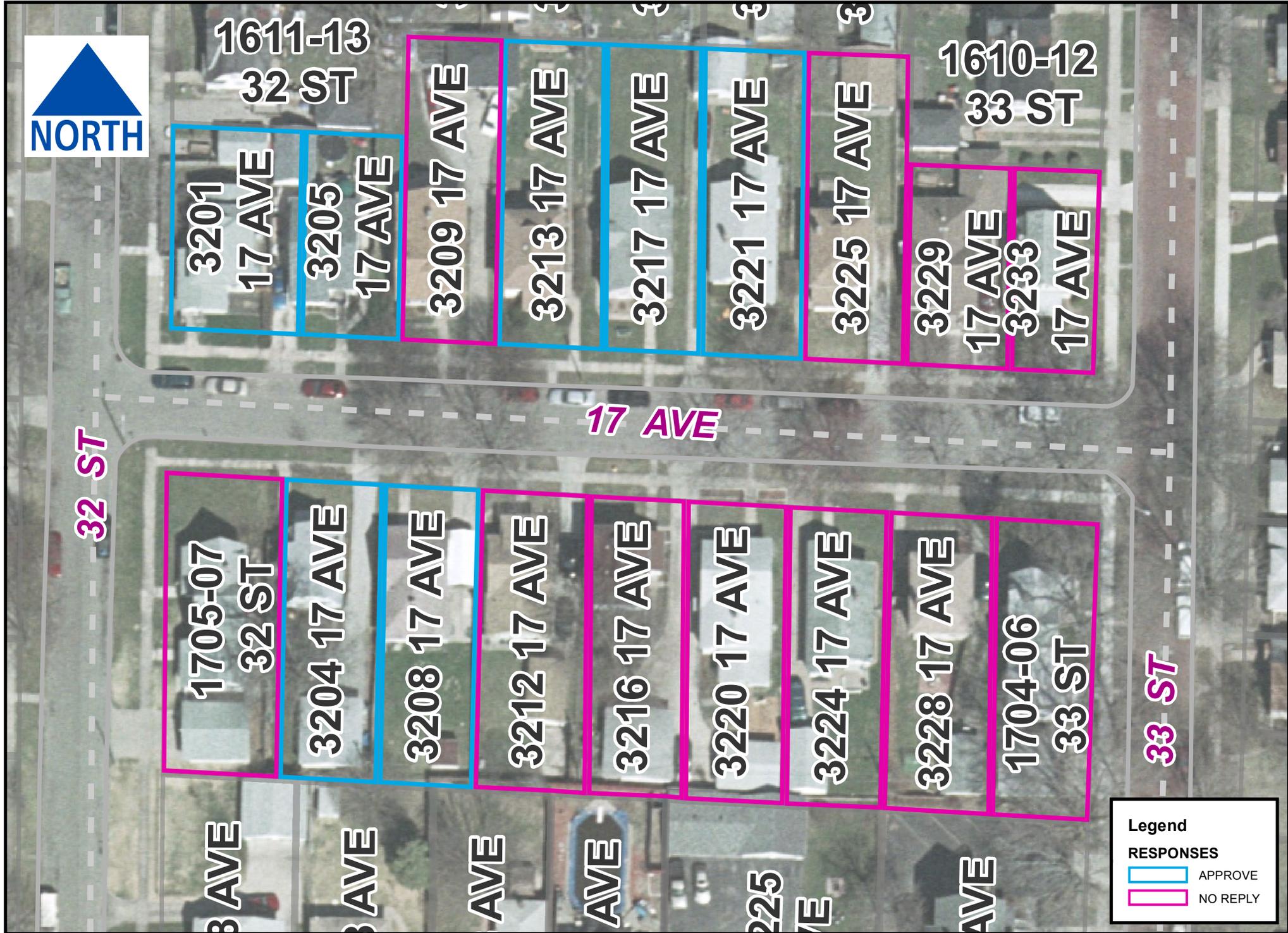
RECOMMENDATION:

The Traffic Engineering Committee recommends that the City Council approve the request and direct the city attorney to prepare the necessary paperwork.

Submitted by: Robert T. Hawes, P.E., Assistant City Manager/Public Works Director
Traffic Engineering Committee

Approved by: Thomas Thomas, City Manager

Request for a Handicapped Parking Space - 3213 17th Avenue



Legend

RESPONSES

- APPROVE
- NO REPLY

**City of Rock Island
Public Works Department**



Subject: Parking Changes
Location: 3213 17th Avenue
Date: December 14, 2012
TEC Number: 12-33

The following is a tabulation of responses from letters mailed to nearby residents:

3201 17 th Avenue	Recommendation:	Support the request.
	Comments:	None
3204 17 th Avenue	Recommendation:	Support the request.
	Comments:	None
3205 17 th Avenue	Recommendation:	Support the request.
	Comments:	None
3208 17 th Avenue	Recommendation:	Support the request.
	Comments:	Great idea! Some houses park 3-5 cars on the street.
3217 17 th Avenue	Recommendation:	Support the request.
	Comments:	I think it's a <u>wonderful</u> idea! We have some very inconsiderate neighbors.
3221 17 th Avenue	Recommendation:	Support the request.
	Comments:	Of course I approve!!

HANDICAPPED PARKING SPACE REQUEST

To install a handicapped parking space in the City of Rock Island you must first complete this Handicapped Parking Space Request form and return it to:

City of Rock Island Public Works
ATTN: Traffic Engineering
1309 Mill Street
Rock Island, IL 61201

Upon receipt of this Handicapped Parking Space Request form, the Traffic Engineering Committee (TEC) will review the request and send a letter to neighbors requesting their input. The TEC will then make a recommendation to the City Council. A letter will be sent to the person requesting the handicapped parking space indicating the date of the City Council meeting along with a copy of the TEC recommendation.

The installation of a handicapped parking space does not restrict the handicapped parking space to only the person requesting the space but is accessible to anyone with a handicapped license plate or placard.

If you have any questions regarding the procedures of installing a handicapped parking space, please feel free to call the City of Rock Island's Public Works Department at (309)732-2200.

Name of Handicapped Resident... Herman J. Reed

Property Address... 3213-17th Ave

Telephone Numbers.....(Home) 309-786-7400

(Work) _____

Herman Reed 3213 17th Ave. Rock Island, IL 61201-2938
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Does the Handicapped Resident Own the Property? Yes No

If No, please provide the name, address, and telephone number of the property owner:

Please describe the location to be designated as a handicapped parking space:

In front of residence at 3213-17th Ave
Closest to shared drive-way

Does the handicapped resident have access to off-street parking such as a driveway or garage?

Yes
 No

If Yes, please describe the off-street parking and explain why the handicapped resident does not use the off-street parking:

But not always. We have a shared
drive. It is an old drive way and
was built for smaller cars.

In order to utilize a handicapped parking space, a motorist must have handicapped license plates or a handicapped placard. Please provide the handicapped license plate number or placard number of the person who will be using this handicapped parking space.

License Number
Placard Number

BE 63411 exp. 10-2014
Permanent

Please provide any additional information that may be of assistance to the Traffic Engineering Committee and the City Council members when they review your request:

We have no way to push wheel chair to
the back yard. I am on oxygen 24 hrs a day
and cannot walk very far at all