

### STAFF REPORT

DATE: July 17, 2018

CONSENT #8

**AGENDA ITEM**: Lake Elmo Ave Parking

**SUBMITTED BY**: Kristina Handt, City Administrator

### **BACKGROUND:**

At the June 12, 2018 work session, Council discussed the parking issues downtown. Staff had suggested one of the changes could be to switch the 60 minute limit areas to 90 minutes.

### **ISSUE BEFORE COUNCIL:**

Does the Council support changing the 60 minute parking spots to 90 minutes?

### **PROPOSAL DETAILS/ANALYSIS:**

Since Lake Elmo Ave is a County road, Washington County has the authority to change the parking restrictions. Their practice has been to ask for a resolution from the City Council before approving any changes. A resolution is included in your packet. This change will impact 11 parking spaces; 3 near the post office and 8 north of 34<sup>th</sup> St.

### **OPTIONS:**

- 1) Approve the resolution
- 2) Amend and then approve the resolution
- 3) Do not approve the resolution

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

If removed from the consent agenda:

Motion to approve Resolution No 2018-072

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

• Resolution No 2018-072

## CITY OF LAKE ELMO WASHINGTON COUNTY STATE OF MINNESOTA

## RESOLUTION NO. 2018-072 A RESOLUTION RELATING TO PARKING RESTRICTIONS ON THE EAST SIDE OF (CSAH) NO. 17 (LAKE ELMO AVENUE) FROM UPPER 33rd STREET NORTH TO 36TH STREET NORTH

**WHEREAS,** parking restrictions on Lake Elmo Avenue (CSAH 17) are determined by Washington County since it is a county road; and

WHEREAS, Washington County requires a City resolution before considering any changes in parking restrictions; and

WHEREAS, the City would like to improve parking options downtown on Lake Elmo Ave; and

**WHEREAS**, converting the 60 minute time limits to 90 minutes will reduce sign pollution along Lake Elmo Ave;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** by the City Council that all current 60 minute parking restrictions be changed to 90 minutes on the east side of Lake Elmo Avenue (CSAH 17) from Upper 33<sup>rd</sup> Street North to 36<sup>th</sup> Street North in the City of Lake Elmo.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City of Lake Elmo requests that Washington County change the signage so that all 60 minute parking spots are now limited to 90 minutes.

**CITY OF LAKE ELMO** 

### ADOPTED BY THE LAKE ELMO CITY COUNCIL ON THE 17th DAY OF JULY 2018.

# By: Mike Pearson Mayor (Seal) ATTEST: Julie Johnson City Clerk