

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ST. ALBANS CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2014
6:30 PM
ST. ALBANS CITY HALL
100 NORTH MAIN STREET, ST. ALBANS, VT**

The St. Albans City Council will hold a public hearing and second reading of revisions to the City Ordinance governing Operation of Vehicles and Timed Parking Zones, Title 17, Chapter 5, Sub-Chapters 2 and 6. After the hearing is closed, the Council may vote on adoption of the ordinance.

Effects of the Proposed Ordinance Revisions:

These revisions would allow Commercial Vehicle Loading Areas, as designated under Section 5309 of the City Ordinances, to exist along the Timed Parking Area on Main Street (Section 5168). These revisions would also place a 30-minute parking limit on the two parking spaces immediately in front of 44-46 Federal Street. These revisions would also remove a reference to 30-minute parking spaces in front of City Hall that no longer exist.

Full texts of these proposed revisions may be viewed at the St. Albans City Clerk's Office, St. Albans City Hall, 100 North Main Street.

If special accommodations are required, please contact Kristen Knoff at 802-524-1500 x253 or K.Knoff@stalbansvt.com. For the hearing impaired please call (TTY) # 1-800-253-0191.

The Council of the City of St. Albans hereby ordains...

An Amendment to the current Ordinance governing Operation of Vehicles and Timed Parking Zones, Title 17, Chapter 5, Sub-Chapters 2 and 6.

(Second Reading)

Whereas, The 2013 Downtown Streetscape Project allowed the City to create two areas where buses and delivery trucks could pull out of the travel lane for loading and unloading; and

Whereas, The new loading area at Bank and Main could potentially be used for regular parking when not needed for deliveries or bus routes; and

Whereas, The business of Boston Tailoring & Cleaners, Inc. at 44-46 Federal Street requires the ability for customers to make quick drop-offs and pick-ups; and

Whereas, The 2 ½ hour parking directly in front of Boston Tailoring does not allow for sufficient turn-over; and

Whereas, There are little to no other businesses immediately adjacent Boston Tailoring with particular need of 2 ½ parking;

Therefore, Be it resolved that the following amendments are proposed to Title 17, Chapter 5, Sub-Chapters 2 and 6:

Subchapter 2. Operation of Vehicles

[other sections omitted – no proposed changes]

SECTION

5168. Delivery Trucks

No person shall operate a truck in the Timed Parking Area on the following streets in the City for the purpose of loading or unloading, having an over-all length of more than 22 feet, between the hours of eleven o'clock in the morning and six o'clock in the evening, unless written permission is previously obtained from the Chief of Police for each operation, and no so-called blanket permit shall be issued hereunder:

- (A) North and South Main Street, except Commercial Vehicle Loading Areas as designated under Section 5309. (Added 5-15-67) (Changed 8-26-03)

5169. Trucks Prohibited

~~TRUCKS PROHIBITED~~

Trucks larger than 22 feet shall be prohibited on the following streets at all times unless making local deliveries within the prohibited zone:

(A) Forest Hill Drive beyond the driveway at #5 – 9 Forest Hill Drive

(Added 8-26-03)

[other sections omitted – no proposed changes]

Sub-Chapter 6. Timed Parking Zones

[other sections omitted – no proposed changes]

SECTION

5351. Designation of Zones

- a. The following described streets and areas in the City of St. Albans are hereby designated and established as two and a half hour parking areas, except for any spaces otherwise designated for 30 minutes under section 5351(b):
- (1) The east side of North Main Street from Fairfield Street north to the south property line of the Pomerleau Shopping Center.
 - (2) The west side of North and South Main Streets from the north side of Stebbins Street north to Hoyt Street with the exception of the portions described in (b) of this section as thirty minute parking zones.(Ch 5-14-07)
 - (3) Kingman Street on the north and south sides between Federal Street and North Main Street.
 - (4) Lake Street north and south sides between South Main Street and the intersection of North and South Elm Streets with said Lake Street.
 - (5) The east and west sides of Federal Street between the north side of Lake Street and the south side of Center Street.
 - (6) The east side of Catherine Street from the intersection of Lake Street south to the north driveway of the shopping plaza.
 - (7) Stebbins Street north and south side from South Main Street to Allen Street. (Ch 12-6-05)
 - (8) Bank Street on the north side between the intersection of North Main Street and Maiden Lane and on the south side of Bank Street between the intersection with North Main Street and the west side of Church Street.

- (9) Congress Street on the north side between North Main Street and the intersection of Messenger Street.
- (10) Center Street north side between Federal and North Main Street. (Ch 3-30-93)
- (11) West side of Maiden Lane from Congress to Bank Street. (Added 1-5-99)
- (12) On the east side of parking lot No. 2 from Lake Street along the west side of the building at 26 Lake Street and clearly marked as two and one-half hour parking. (Added 7-6-06)
- (13) On the east side of parking lot No. 1 from Lake Street along the west side of the building at 19-27 Lake Street clearly marked as two and one-half hour parking. (Added 7-6-06)

b. The following described streets in the City of St. Albans are hereby designated and established as thirty minute parking zones.

~~(1) The west side of North Main Street, from the south boundary of the City Hall lot to the north boundary of the City Hall lot. (Add 7-1-98)~~

~~(2)~~(1) South Main Street from the intersection of Lake Street south to the first crosswalk on South Main Street (west side) from the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday. (Add 7-29-03)

~~(2) The two parking spaces on the west side of Federal Street immediately in front of the building at 44-46 Federal Street from the hours of 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. (Added XX-XX-XX)~~

[other sections omitted – no proposed changes]