

ORDINANCE NO. 2083

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND PARK, TEXAS AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND PARK, **CHAPTER 12, TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES, ARTICLE 12.07, STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING, SEC. 12.07.084 PARKING OR STANDING DURING CERTAIN HOURS**; REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Highland Park, Texas (the "Town"), is a general law municipality and is authorized to enact regulations as necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public and, may enact ordinances relative to its citizens' health, safety, and welfare that are not inconsistent with the Constitution and laws of the State; and

WHEREAS, Section 311.002 of the Texas Transportation Code provides that a general-law municipality has exclusive control over and under the public highways, streets, and alleys of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Transportation Code, Section 542.202(a)(8) Powers of Local Authorities, grants the Town the authority to designate an intersection as a stop intersection and requiring each vehicle to stop at one or more entrances to the intersection; and

WHEREAS, the Town desires to implement those rules and regulations that protect health, life, and property and that preserve good government, order, and security of the Town and its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, the Town has determined that it is a necessity to regulate activities as provided for herein to safeguard the public; and

WHEREAS, the Town is authorized by law to adopt the provisions contained herein, and has complied with all the prerequisites necessary for the passage of this ordinance; and

WHEREAS, all statutory and constitutional requirements for the passage of this ordinance have been adhered to, including but not limited to the Open Meetings Act; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this ordinance is to promote the public health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of the Town of Highland Park;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Highland Park, Texas:

SECTION 1. That, the statements contained in the preamble to this ordinance are hereby adopted as findings of fact and as a part of the operative provisions hereof.

SECTION 2. That, the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Highland Park, **CHAPTER 12, TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES, ARTICLE 12.07, STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING**,

SEC. 12.07.084 PARKING OR STANDING DURING CERTAIN HOURS is amended in its entirety and shall read as follows:

SEC. 12.07.084 STOPPING, STANDING OR PARKING DURING CERTAIN HOURS

- (a) When signs are erected or curbs painted giving notice thereof, it shall be unlawful for any person to stop, stand or park any vehicle between the hours designated below on any official school day upon any of the streets or portions thereof enumerated as follows:

Street	Extent	Side	Time
Armstrong Parkway	Starting at the north curb of Southern Avenue and extending in a northerly direction to the south curb of Mockingbird Lane	East	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
Armstrong Parkway	Starting at the south curb of Southern Avenue and extending in a southerly direction a distance of 115 feet	East	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
Douglas Avenue	Starting 130 feet north of Livingston Avenue, 50 feet north to the point 180 feet north of Livingston Avenue	East	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
Douglas Avenue	Starting 200 feet north of Livingston Avenue, 50 feet north to the point 250 feet north of Livingston Avenue	East	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
Douglas Avenue	Starting 320 feet north of Livingston Avenue, 118 feet north to the point 438 feet north of Livingston Avenue	East	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
High School Avenue	Starting at the south curb of Shenandoah Avenue and extending in a southerly direction to the alley between Normandy Avenue and Potomac Avenue	West	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
Southern Avenue	Starting at the east curb of Armstrong Parkway and extending east 108 feet	South	7:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m. 2:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.
St. Johns Drive	From a point 132 feet west of the intersection with Byron Avenue extending west a distance of 130 feet	North	6:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

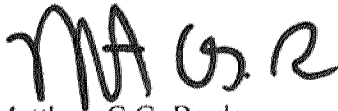
SECTION 3. That, all ordinances or any parts thereof in conflict with the terms of this ordinance shall be and hereby are deemed repealed and of no force or effect.

SECTION 4. That, should any sentence, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this ordinance be adjudged or be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, or any part or provision thereof other than the part thereof decided to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, and the same shall not affect the validity of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Highland Park as a whole.

SECTION 5. That, this ordinance shall take effect immediately following its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law, and it is accordingly so ordained.

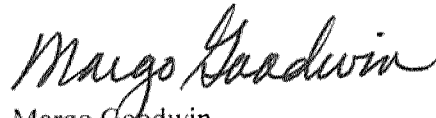
PASSED AND APPROVED by the Town Council of the Town of Highland Park, Texas, on this the 3rd day of August, 2021.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Matthew C.G. Boyle
Town Attorney

APPROVED:



Margo Goodwin
Mayor

ATTEST:



Joanna Mekeal
Town Secretary