



# City of Madison

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## Meeting Minutes - Approved PARKING COUNCIL FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

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Tuesday, June 19, 2012

5:00 PM

Room 108, City-County Building  
(Parks conference room)  
210 Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd.

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### Call to Order/Roll Call

**Present:** 5 -

Gary A. Weber; Joanne Wagner; Joseph P. Kunz; William J. Tangney and  
Fayth E. Kail

**Absent:** 1 -

Kenneth M. Streit

### 1. Approval of Minutes

Tangney said that on item 7, the pictures that Tangney brought were of a different location and not the one being discussed. Tangney moved approval with the change, seconded by Kunz. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

### 2. Public Comment - None

### 3. Disclosures and Recusals - None

### 4. Report by Madison Police Department representative Aileen Seymour regarding the operations of the Disabled Parking Enforcement Assistance Council, including policy for contacting private businesses, status of disabled parking stalls at South Madison branch library, and potential to provide police officers with information on alternative disabled stall locations during special events.

Seymour said there were eight reports submitted, resulting in seven citations. The eight citation could not be written due to the license plate and description of the vehicle not matching. Reports were written for a variety of locations from downtown to the malls.

Seymour called Building Inspection regarding enforcement on private property, especially when a manager refuses to call in a complaint. Seymour encouraged people to contact the management and let them know you are upset about the lack of enforcement, then ask parking enforcement to increase their enforcement. Seymour said anyone can call in a violation.

Seymour went to the South Madison branch library, and understands the concern with the perpendicular parking spots blocking access to the disabled stalls. Seymour then called Building Inspection to ask them to follow up. She said that the stalls would likely be relocated. Seymour provided a list of phone numbers of agencies to call with complaints of this type.

Regarding the request to have police officers give people a list of alternate disabled parking spaces during events, Captain Bach said police officers will not do this.

**5. Kail to present concerns with disabled parking at Rocky Rococo's restaurant**

Kail said that she contacted Mike VanErem approximately three months ago, who said that the building inspector would check into it, but it has not yet been done. Kail followed up a month and a half ago, but this still has not been done. Kail will call VanErem again to inquire as to the status. People continue to park in a space that blocks the ramp for access to the entrance for persons with mobility challenges.

**6. Discuss issue of snow being piled in Disabled stalls**

No discussion at this time. Weber would still like this on future agendas until further notice.

**8. Putnam to report on request from customer at State Street Campus Frances garage to not relocate disabled stalls as requested by PCFPWD**

Weber replied that the change provides for a more direct connection to the sidewalk, and adds very little distance to the walk. The relocation will proceed as originally planned.

**7. [20218](#) Distribution list for Parking for Persons with Disabilities brochure**

Kunz brought some brochures to the meeting. Weber noted that there are two brochures, one is done by the City of Madison, the other is done by the State. It has been helpful to have the City's brochure available on line for download and printing. Kail suggested Parking Council members volunteer to go to the Farmer's Market and hand out brochures to the public. There are no new organizations to add.

**9. Other business for referral**

Kail said that at the signal between Shopko and Copps on Aberg, there is a hole next to the cement preventing access to the walk button. She called Building Inspection who directed her to Streets. Kail called Streets who said they would repair the area. Kail will follow up to see if this has been done. This item will be on next month's agenda. Wagner will not be able to attend the August meeting.

**10. Assignments**

Putnam to note that there is no handicap exit button from the Parks conference room.

**Adjournment**

A motion was made by Kail, seconded by Weber, to Adjourn. The motion passed by voice vote/other. The meeting adjourned at 5:42 PM.