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<b>Lead Referral:</b> COMMON COUNCIL	<b>Cost:</b>	<b>File Created Date :</b> 03/26/2020
<b>File Name:</b> Allow Division Heads of Transportation, Transit, Traffic Engineer and Park to take action related to transportation issues		<b>Final Action:</b>

**Title:** Temporarily suspend the enforcement of Madison General Ordinance Section 33.56(5) to allow the Director of Transportation, Transit Manager, Traffic Engineer, and Parking Manager to take actions related to transportation issues identified in Madison General Ordinance Section 33.56(5)(a)-(c)

**Notes:**

**Code Sections:**

**CC Agenda Date:** 03/31/2020

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**Agenda Number:** 42.

**Sponsors:** Satya V. Rhodes-Conway

**Effective Date:**

**Attachments:** DOT Action Resolution Memo 60121

**Enactment Number:**

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**Hearing Date:**

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### Approval History

Version	Date	Approver	Action
1		Elizabeth York	Delegate
1		Laura Larsen	Approve

### History of Legislative File

Version:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor's Office	03/26/2020	Referred for Introduction				
	<b>Action Text:</b>		This Resolution was Referred for Introduction				
	<b>Notes:</b>	Common Council (4/21/20)					
1	COMMON COUNCIL	03/31/2020	Refer	TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION		04/15/2020	Pass

**Action Text:** A motion was made by Bidar, seconded by Harrington-McKinney, to Refer to the TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

**Notes:** Adopt 4/21/20

1 TRANSPORTATION 04/15/2020 RECOMMEND TO  
COMMISSION COUNCIL WITH  
THE FOLLOWING  
RECOMMENDATION  
S - REPORT OF  
OFFICER

**Action Text:** Tom Lynch provided verbal reports and, along with Assistant City Attorney John Strange, Interim Metro General Manager Natalie Erdman, Parking Division Manager Sabrina Tolley and Yang Tao was available for questions.

Registrant as follows: Oppose; Does not wish to speak, available for questions: Tom Wilson, Clark Ct

Foster moved to RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL WITH THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS - REPORT OF OFFICER, seconded by Bremer: the actions taken related to transportation issues would be restricted to those identified in MGO 33.56(5)(a-b)

1. decisions that cannot wait;
2. actions taken as a result of the pandemic;
3. more tight language regarding an end date;
4. to change the wording for "when" the TC meets rather than "if";
5. staff would be required to inform the TC chair of these changes.

With no further discussion, the motion passed by voice vote/other.

Tierney leaves at 9:00 p.m. A new roll call is shown to reflect this:

Present - 8 - Grant Foster; Christopher T. McCahill; Ann E. Kovich; Jessica S. Piatt; William F. Bremer; Kenneth M. Streit; Brigit E. Brown; Harald Kliems

Excused - 1 - Michael J. Tierney

1 COMMON COUNCIL 04/21/2020

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## Text of Legislative File 60121

### Fiscal Note

On March 23, 2020, the Mayor issued an Emergency Proclamation based on the increasing transmission of the COVID-19 virus within the City of Madison. To help mitigate the financial impacts of this emergency on the businesses and residents of Madison, the proposed resolution temporarily allows the Director of Transportation, and their designee, to implement the powers and duties assigned to the Transportation Commission in MGO 33.56(5).

There is no anticipated fiscal impact of this action.

### Title

Temporarily suspend the enforcement of Madison General Ordinance Section 33.56(5) to allow the Director of Transportation, Transit Manager, Traffic Engineer, and Parking Manager to take actions related to transportation issues identified in Madison General Ordinance Section 33.56(5)(a)-(c)

### Body

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, pursuant to Madison General Ordinance Section 3.19, the Mayor issued an Emergency Proclamation, based on the increasing transmission of COVID-19 within the City of Madison; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, the Governor of Wisconsin issued Emergency Order #12 ordering individuals to remain home except for Essential Travel; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Governor's Order all Nonessential Businesses are required to close; and

WHEREAS, the closure of numerous businesses throughout the City has the potential to have significant negative financial impact on residents.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that effective immediately, the City will temporarily suspend the enforcement of Madison General Ordinance Section 33.56(5) to allow the Director of Transportation, Transit Manager, Traffic Engineer, and Parking Manager to take actions related to transportation issues identified in Madison General Ordinance Section 33.56(5)(a)-(c) related to the powers and duties of the Transportation Commission, until the Director of Public Health Madison and Dane County and the Governor of Wisconsin determine to end emergency actions they have taken to combat the coronavirus pandemic, provided that if the Transportation Commission meets during the coronavirus pandemic the Director of Transportation shall present each action taken pursuant to the authority above for ratification or rescission by the Transportation Commission.