

ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 91-25 AND
ORDINANCE 93-44, CHAPTER 694, PART I, ARTICLE II,
SECTION 694-7 AND 694-33 ENTITLED PARKING TIME
LIMITED.

WHEREAS, Chapter 694, Part 1, Article II sets forth the parking specifications including parking time limitations for the streets and roads of the City of Vineland; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 694, Part I Article 16 Section 6934-33, Schedule IV is a Schedule of streets and roads within the City which have time limit parking, including Landis Ave; and

WHEREAS, the time limit for parking along Landis Avenue from West Avenue to Myrtle Street is 2 hours from 9:00 am to 5:30 pm every day of the week to accommodate the merchants on Landis Avenue; and

WHEREAS, along with the merchants and retail stores are a number of Houses of Worship which primarily have services on Saturdays and Sundays and persons exercising their religious freedom have found that the limitation on parking on Saturdays and Sundays, during times when the retail and businesses are typically closed, has impacted their ability to park and enjoy attendance to their House of Worship; and

WHEREAS, allowing unlimited time parking on Landis on Saturdays after 3pm and all day on Sundays will allow persons to exercise their religious freedoms during times when the merchants are typically closed and therefore not interfere with business and retail establishments on Landis Avenue; and

WHEREFORE, the City Engineer has recommended the amendments to allow unlimited parking on Landis Avenue from West Avenue to Myrtle on both sides of the street on Saturdays after the hour of 3pm and on Sundays all day.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Vineland that Chapter 694, Part I, Article II, Sections 694-7 and 694-33 be amended so as to restrict parking on both sides of Landis Avenue from West Avenue to Myrtle Street on Saturdays to two hours between the hours of 9:00 am to 3pm and on Sundays unlimited time parking on Landis Avenue.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the balance of Chapter 694 not amended hereby shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Director of Public Works shall provide signs and/or covers for existing signs notifying the public of the parking time limits as set forth herein.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that should any portion of this Ordinance be deemed unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, that portion so determined to be unenforceable, shall be void and the balance hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon adoption and publication according to law.

Passed first reading:

Passed final reading:

President of Council

Approved by the Mayor:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk